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FAMILIES

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Mary, his wife, were burned together at the stake in Westminster, England, for the same reasons during these persecutions.

In the year 1635, another "William Hinshaw" aged 20 years, sailed from London, England, in the ship "George" along with a number of other emigrants who were "to be transported to Virginia." (See Hotten's "List of Emigrants to America, 1600-1700.")

We do not have the date of the emigration of some of our ancestors from England, but suppose most of them left that country during the first decade of the 17th century. Some of them came, (or rather were sent) directly to America in the year 1656, settling in Massachusetts and later in Pennsylvania, while others went to Scotland and Ireland, whence certain of their descendants also emigrated to America in the years 1741, 1765 and 1768. These later emigrants all settled finally in North Carolina, and among them were the ancestors of the Illinois pioneer Hinshaws, George, Sr., Jacob (1 W. 2 T.), and Simon.

WILLIAM HINSHAW, (7 W. 7 T.) (Committee

EZRA HINSHAW, (4 W. 2 T.)

THOMAS E. HINSHAW,

CHARLES B. HINSHAW,

GEORGE A. HINSHAW,

*Family History  
Appointed by the  
Hinshaw  
Family*

Bloomington, Illinois, July 3, 1911.

NOTE: There being so many individuals in these families bearing the same name, I have designated them as follows in order to distinguish them one from another, viz: those in the branch of William Hinshaw (1 W.) by the letter "W," those in the branch of Thomas Hinshaw (1 T.) by the letter "T," and those in the branch of Jesse Hinshaw, Sr. (1 J.) by the letter "J," etc., wherever instances of this kind occur, prefixing a number to the letter in each case, to determine the generation. Other letters are used in the case of other branches. It will be observed that by the intermarriages of William Hinshaw (1 W.) with Mary Hinshaw, of William Hinshaw (2 W.) with Peter Hinshaw, and of Jesse Hinshaw (2 J.) with William Hinshaw, certain divisions of the branches to which they belong have been united.

Milo Clegg, Author.



## WILLIAM HINSHAW (1 W.)

WILLIAM HINSHAW (1 W.), son of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_)

Hinshaw was born in County Tyrone, Ireland (?) about the year 1740. He married first Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ in Ireland. Their sons, John Hinshaw (1 W.), Ezra Hinshaw (1 W.), and Thomas Hinshaw (1 W.), were born in Ireland. They were Quakers and members of the Friends Meeting at Grange, near Charlemont, in County Tyrone, Ireland. It is supposed that John Hinshaw (1 W.) came or was sent to North Carolina about the year 1765. The census of North Carolina for 1790 shows a John Hinshay, head of a family, as residing in Surry County, that state, at that time, who may have been him.

William Hinshaw (1 W.), his first wife, Sarah, and their sons, Ezra and Thomas, emigrated from Ireland to America in the year 1768 along with Jesse Hinshaw, Sr., and his family, Absolom Hinshaw, Sr., and his family, and a Miss Alice Hinshaw. They all settled near Cane Creek, Orange County, North Carolina, with the exception of one person, Sarah, first wife of William Hinshaw (1 W.) who died during the voyage and was buried at sea.

After settling in North Carolina, William Hinshaw (1 W.) married secondly, Mary Hinshaw, daughter of Jacob (1 T.) and Rebecca (Mackie) Hinshaw.

Eleven children of whom we know, were born to this union, viz: William Hinshaw (2 W. 2 T.), born about the year 1774; George Hinshaw, Sr., born Oct. 1, 1776; Benjamin Hinshaw, (1 W. 3 T.), born about the year 1778; Samuel Hinshaw, born about the year 1780, (died in Indiana); Jesse Hinshaw, (1 W. 1 T.), born about the year 1782, (died in Texas); Jacob Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.), born Jan. 5, 1784; Sarah (Hinshaw) Hammond; Mary (Hinshaw) Hadley; Rebecca (Hinshaw) Hadley, and William Hinshaw. All of these children were born in North Carolina, and the daughters, Mary and Rebecca, were spinsters. The dates of the deaths of William Hinshaw (1 W.) and Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, his wife, are not known to us, but the former made a will in the year 1818, and his wife also left a will which was recorded at Asheboro, North Carolina, in the year 1822.



## THOMAS HINSHAW (1 W.)

THOMAS HINSHAW (1 W.), son of William (1 W.) and Sarah (—) was, it is supposed, born in County Tyrone, Ireland, about the year 1760. He was brought to America with his father, William Hinshaw (1 W.), his brother, Ezra Hinshaw (1 W.) and other emigrants of the same family name as herein given, all of whom settled at Cane Creek, North Carolina, in the year 1768. His mother Sarah (—) Hinshaw, died during the voyage and was buried at sea.

Thomas Hinshaw (1 W.) married Rebecca Marshall in North Carolina, about the year 1780.

Their children, all born in North Carolina, were as follows: John Hinshaw, (2 W.); Ezra Hinshaw, (2 W.); Simon Hinshaw, (born June 14, 1785, died in McLean County, Illinois, July 14, 1852); Hannah Hinshaw, Aaron Hinshaw, Amy Hinshaw, Enoch Hinshaw, Ruth Hinshaw, Rebecca Hinshaw, and Thomas Hinshaw (2 W.).

## SIMON HINSHAW.

SIMON HINSHAW, farmer, son of Thomas (1 W.) and Rebecca (Marshall) Hinshaw, was born in Rutherford County, North Carolina, June 14, 1785. He married Rebecca Hollingsworth, daughter of Charles and Sarah Hollingsworth in North Carolina in the year 1807. She was born (as in North Carolina, Nov. 25, 1784. Their children were all born in North Carolina (except one, the youngest), as follows: Zeno Hinshaw (No. 1), born 27th, 8th month, 1808; Charlie Hinshaw, born 1st, 4th month, 1810, (died March 17th, 1834); Charles Hinshaw, born 22nd, 3rd month, 1814, (died Jan. 11, 1849); Thomas Hinshaw (3 W.), born 17th, 2d month, 1816, (died July 29, 1854); Norilla Hinshaw, born 22nd, 10th month, 1818, (died Oct. 4, 1853); (No. 6, 17th, 3d month) Hollingsworth, born 20th, 5th month, 1821; (No. 7, 17th, 3d month) Hinshaw, born 22nd, 9th month, 1822; (No. 8, 16th, 3d month) Hinshaw, born 23rd, 6th month, 1828; and Nathan Hinshaw, (No. 9, 17th, 3d month) born 15th, 3rd month, 1831.







Simon Hinshaw came to Illinois with his family and settled at Stouts Grove (McLean County), Sept. 30, 1830. On the 18th of October, 1834, he purchased of Nathaniel A. Ware for a consideration of \$137.50, a tract of land described as the E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S. E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 29, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., 3rd P. M., containing eighty acres. Later he purchased a number of other tracts in the same vicinity. He resided upon the same farm all the remainder of his life. He was one of the pioneer farmers of McLean County, Illinois, and his experiences as such were common to all the early settlers of this locality.

Simon Hinshaw died July 14, 1852. Rebecca (Hobson) Hinshaw, his wife, died Oct. 12, 1855. Their remains are buried in the Hinshaw Cemetery, Danvers Township, McLean County, Illinois.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF SIMON HINSHAW, ZENO HINSHAW (NO. 1)

ZENO HINSHAW, (No. 1), farmer, son of Simon and Rebecca (Hobson) Hinshaw, was born in North Carolina, Aug. 27, 1808. He came to Illinois with his parents, arriving in what is now McLean County, Sept. 30, 1830. He married Rachel Williams, March 15, 1832. (See Book A, Page 8, McLean County Marriage Records). She was born Dec. 12, 1813. Their marriage ceremony was performed by Matthew Robb, Justice of the Peace. Their children, all born in McLean County, Illinois, were as follows: William Hinshaw, (3 W.), born Aug. 26, 1832, (died June 22, 1863); Leannah C. Hinshaw, born Aug. 24, 1837 (died of cholera, Aug. 10, 1852); Susan A. Hinshaw Kelly, born Oct. 1, 1841, and Sims G. Hinshaw, born Jan. 20, 1843.

Zeno Hinshaw entered the N. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  N. E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 5, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., 3rd P. M.; the N. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  N. E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 6, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., 3rd P. M., and the W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 9, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., 3rd P. M., Jan. 9, 1836. He also entered the S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  N. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 13, T. 24 N., R. 1 W., 3rd P. M., July 8, 1836. (See General Index No. 1, McLean



County, Illinois, Deed Records). Zeno Hinshaw (No. 1) died at Fairbury, Livingston County, Illinois, Nov. 27, 1872. Rachel (Williams) Hinshaw, his wife, died also at Fairbury, Illinois, in the year 1873.

### SILAS G. HINSHAW.

SILAS G. HINSHAW, blacksmith, son of Zeno and Rachel (Williams) Hinshaw, married Rebecca A. Breckenridge, March 19, 1865. She was born Oct. 7, 1842. Their children were all born in Livingston County, Illinois, as follows: William E. Hinshaw, born Dec. 31, 1865; John Z. M. Hinshaw, born Jan. 19, 1869; Nancy M. (Hinshaw) Miller, born April 11, 1872, and Charles W. Hinshaw, born Jan. 22, 1879. Rebecca A. (Breckenridge) Hinshaw died June 17, 1910.

Nancy M. (Hinshaw) Miller, of Danvers, Ill., daughter of Silas G. and Rebecca A. (Breckenridge) Hinshaw, married Fred F. Miller, July 12, 1889. He was born in Holstein, Germany, March 5, 1861. Their surviving children are M. Pearl Miller, born Feb. 28, 1891; Mabel B. Miller, born May 18, 1895, and Myrtle R. Miller, born Sept. 27, 1900.

### CHARLES HINSHAW.

CHARLES HINSHAW, farmer, son of Simon and Rebecca (Webson) Hinshaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, March 22, 1814. He came to McLean County, Illinois, with his parents family in the year 1820. He married Mary S. Haybarger, daughter of Abram and Mary (Crowbarger) Haybarger, in McLean County, Illinois, Nov. 4, 1841. She was born in Augusta County, Virginia, Jan. 12, 1824. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Mary R. Hinshaw, born Feb. 29, 1844, (died May 21, 1900); Abraham J. Hinshaw, born July 28, 1845, and Charles C. Hinshaw, born May 16, 1849.

Charles Hinshaw died Jan. 11, 1849. Mary S. (Haybarger) Hinshaw, his wife, died March 26, 1883.



CHARLES C. MINTON AND DAVID A.



## ABRAHAM J. HINSHAW.

ABRAHAM J. HINSHAW, farmer, of Danvers, Ill., son of Charles and Mary S. (Haybarger) Hinshaw, married Cyllene J. Harris, Dec. 29, 1870. She was born in Logan County, Kentucky, Aug. 1, 1844. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Charles B. Hinshaw, born Feb. 19, 1872; Ollis D. Hinshaw, born Oct. 21, 1875; Belle C. Hinshaw, born Dec. 21, 1876; Hattie S. (Hinshaw) Garst, born Sept. 3, 1878; Lettie M. (Hinshaw) Seagrave, born March 16, 1881, and Mary E. (Hinshaw) Kruse, born Aug. 6, 1883.

Cyllene J. (Harris) Hinshaw died May 6, 1900.

## CHARLES B. HINSHAW.

CHARLES B. HINSHAW, farmer, son of Abraham J. and Cyllene J. (Harris) Hinshaw, married Lillie M. Williams, Nov. 27, 1900. Their children are John B. Hinshaw, born Aug. 23, 1903, and J. Paul Hinshaw, born March 20, 1907.

## CHARLES C. HINSHAW.

CHARLES C. HINSHAW, retired farmer, of Bloomington, Ill., son of Charles and Mary S. (Haybarger) Hinshaw, married Mary E. Smith, daughter of Jacob and Cynthia A. (Puterbaugh) Smith, Feb. 26, 1874. She was born in Tazewell County, Illinois, April 18, 1855. Their surviving children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Ole M. (Hinshaw) Thompson, born Nov. 28, 1874; Annie C. (Hinshaw) Harris, born Nov. 29, 1876; and George J. Hinshaw, born May 27, 1878.

George J. Hinshaw, of Wellington, Kan., son of Charles C. and Mary E. (Smith) Hinshaw, married Laura Carroll, of Wapello County, Iowa, Oct. 19, 1909.

## ENAN HINSHAW.

ENAN HINSHAW, farmer, of McLean County, Illinois, son of Simon and Rebecca (Hobson) Hinshaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, Sept. 22, 1824. He was



brought to Illinois by his parents in the year 1870. He married Rebecca Ingram, June 11, 1846. She was born in Ohio, Nov. 30, 1829. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Phoenix H. (Hinshaw) Stalnaker, born June 16, 1847; Charles N. (Hinshaw), born March 8, 1849; Nancy J. (Hinshaw) Smith, born June 7, 1851, (died Dec. 12, 1872), and Mary (Hinshaw) Briscoe-Peifer, born Oct. 30, 1853.

Enan Hinshaw died March 2, 1901. Rebecca (Ingram) Hinshaw, his wife, died July 24, 1908.

**Phoenix H. (Hinshaw) STALNAKER**, of Eldorado, Butler County, Kansas, daughter of Enan and Rebecca (Ingram) Hinshaw, married Thomas Stalnaker, Oct. 28, 1867. He was born in Edgar County, Illinois. Their children are Edward D. Stalnaker, Viola (Stalnaker) Cain, Orion H. Stalnaker, Mamie (Stalnaker) Potts, (Phoenix) Augustus Stalnaker.

**CHARLES N. HINSHAW**, farmer, of McLean County, Illinois, son of Enan and Rebecca (Ingram) Hinshaw, married Anna E. Smith in the year 1870.

She was born in Perry County, Pennsylvania, July 21, 1852. Their surviving children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Emma F. (Hinshaw) Morrison, born Feb. 7, 1871; George F., born Aug. 21, 1872; Charles E., born July 2, 1875; Edward N., born May 27, 1877; Laura J., born Feb. 2, 1880; Harry L., born Jan. 6, 1882; Ira E., born Feb. 13, 1884; Mary L., born Jan. 13, 1886; Benjamin H., born Nov. 15, 1887; Dan Andrew, born May 27, 1890; Walter A., born Nov. 26, 1892; and Bert B., born Nov. 22, 1896.

**George F. HINSHAW**, farmer of McLean County, Illinois, son of Charles N. and Anna E. (Smith) Hinshaw, married Wilhelmina Schulz, March 5, 1905. She was born in McLean County, Illinois, Nov. 28, 1881.

**MARY E. (HINSHAW) BRISCOE PEIFER**, of McLean County, Illinois, daughter of Enan and Rebecca (Ingram) Hinshaw, married first William N. Briscoe, Nov. 21, 1875. He was born in Highland County, Virginia, Feb. 14, 1846, and





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children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Frank J. Briscoe, born June 20, 1874; Alta E. Briscoe, born Feb. 6, 1876; Orrie E. Briscoe, born Jan. 12, 1879, and Nellie P. Briscoe, born Feb. 9, 1883. William N. Briscoe died Feb. 28, 1907. Marie E. (Hinshaw) Briscoe married secondly — Peifer.

Orrie E. Briscoe, of Woodford County, Illinois, son of William N. and Mary E. (Hinshaw) Briscoe, married Lura Moss, Feb. 26, 1905. She was born in McLean County, Illinois, Sept. 21, 1886. Their child, Merle M. Briscoe, was born Sept. 29, 1906.

### JOHN HINSHAW (3 W.)

JOHN HINSHAW (3 W.), son of Simon and Rebecca (Wilson) Hinshaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, June 23, 1828. He was brought to Illinois by his parents in the year 1830. He married first, Sarah Ann Drake, Feb. 2, 1858. She was born in Illinois, Sept. 26, 1837. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Merilla E. (Hinshaw) Morgan-Murdell, born Nov. 22, 1858; John F. Hinshaw, born June 25, 1860; Phoebe A. (Hinshaw) Dameron, born Dec. 16, 1861; Philura J. Hinshaw, born Feb. 20, 1863 (?); Thomas D. Hinshaw, born Feb. 20, 1865; Margaret E. (Hinshaw) Crawford, born Nov. 8, 1866; Charles W. Hinshaw, born June 24, 1868, (died Jan. 4, 1895); Lucy A. (Hinshaw) Brumley, born Jan. 25, 1870, and Fannie A. (Hinshaw) Terpenning, born Sept. 21, 1871.

Sarah Ann (Drake) Hinshaw died April 1, 1902. John Hinshaw (3 W.) married secondly, Nancy M. (Johnson) Johnson, Aug. 14, 1874. She was born in Ohio, Sept. 12, 1836. One son, Ira O. Hinshaw, was born of this marriage, in the year 1876. John Hinshaw (3 W.) died Dec. 7, 1902.

### A BIOGRAPHY OF JOHN HINSHAW (3 W.)

(Written by His Son, Thomas E. Hinshaw)

JOHN HINSHAW (3 W.), son of Simon and Rebecca (Wilson) Hinshaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina,



June 23, 1828. His parents moved to McLean County, Illinois, in the fall of the year 1830, settling in Stout's Grove, about 14 miles west of Bloomington. It was here that John Hinshaw was reared. The little *schooling* he received was secured in a log school-house provided with "pincheon" benches for seats. His parents were devout Quakers, who trained their children to be scrupulously honest and ever mindful of the rights of others, and although their son John was never a member of any religious organization, he was always very steadfast in these teachings of the Quakers. He was, for the most part, a silent thinker, yet able if occasion required, to support his opinions with strong argument. Like many others of his generation, he was strongly opposed to fictitious literature. The *Bible* was the Book he read, and his copy of its concordance was well thumb-marked. He was neither a borrower nor a lender to any great extent. What surplus money he acquired was usually expended in improvements on his farm, or used in the purchase of more live stock. In 1867, he moved to a farm of 160 acres on the prairie in Cropsey Township, in the northeastern part of McLean County, Illinois. This quarter section of land cost him but five dollars per acre, and he lived to see the same land yield him a cash rental of the same amount per acre. Failing eyesight during the last twenty years of his life prevented him from pursuing the active farm work with which he was occupied in his earlier years. He was practically blind during the last three or four years of his life. In politics he was a Republican, and he filled various offices of trust in the township where he resided. He was a Justice of the Peace at a time when that office was called upon to try many minor cases that are now taken to the county courts. In disposition he was slow to anger and careful in judgment. He was too slow to deception in any form, not even for the purpose of saving, therefore his statements were always accepted as the truth. He died Feb. 7, 1902, the last survivor of the family of Simon Hinshaw.



## THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN HINSHAW (3 W.)

MERILLA E. (HINSHAW) MORGAN-MANDELL, of Carter, Marion County, Illinois, daughter of John (3 W.) and Sarah Ann (Drake) Hinshaw, married first, William T. Morgan, Jan. 14, 1874. He was born in Dearborn County, Indiana, Sept. 13, 1835. Their only surviving child is Ora L. Morgan, born March 10, 1878. Merilla E. (Hinshaw) Morgan obtained a divorce from William T. Morgan, and married secondly, James O. Mandell, Feb. 17, 1884. He was born in Woodford County, Illinois, May 5, 1830. Their children were Jesse W. Mandell, born May 3, 1885, (died Jan. 1, 1905); Addie S. (Mandell) Hewitt, born Aug. 7, 1887, (died March 29, 1906); James E. Mandell, born Oct. 26, 1891, and Horace L. Mandell, born Sept. 9, 1894.

PHOEBE A. (HINSHAW) DAMERON, of Sumner County, Kansas, daughter of John (3 W.) and Sarah Ann (Drake) Hinshaw, married Charles A. Dameron, a farmer, Nov. 30, 1889. He was born in McLean County, Illinois, April 7, 1857. Their children were born as follows: Herschel D. Dameron, born in McLean County, Illinois, Jan. 19, 1888, (died Aug. 12, 1908); Anson B. Dameron, born in Sumner County, Kansas, July 15, 1885; Alma P. (Dameron) Vandervoort, born in Sumner County, Kansas, Jan. 8, 1891, (died Jan. 8, 1908); Anson B. Dameron, born in Sumner County, Kansas, April 11, 1890; Olga E. Dameron, born in Canadian County, Oklahoma, Aug. 27, 1893; Charles Dameron, born in Canadian County, Oklahoma, Nov. 7, 1895; William D. Dameron, born in Sumner County, Kansas, Nov. 10, 1897; Lydia A. Dameron, born in Sumner County, Kansas, Nov. 5, 1899; Veva A. Dameron, born in Sumner County, Kansas, June 20, 1902; and Charles H. Dameron, born in Sumner County, Kansas, June 12, 1905.

THOMAS E. HINSHAW, photographer, of Auburn, McLean County, Illinois, son of John (3 W.) and Sarah Ann (Drake) Hinshaw, married Maude M. Smith, Oct. 5, 1911.

She was born in Woodford County, Illinois, Feb. 15, 1897.

MARGARET E. (HINSHAW) CRAWFORD, of Franklin County, Kansas, daughter of John (3 W.) and Sarah Ann (Drake)



Hinshaw, married Horace E. Crawford, a grocer, Jan. 28, 1886. He was born in Ohio, Sept. 13, 1862. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois as follows: Edith A. (Crawford) Plum, born Dec. 18, 1887; Gertrude C. Crawford, born Jan. 18, 1889; Marvin W. Crawford, born May 23, 1890; Clarence R. Crawford, born Dec. 24, 1891; Milo F. Crawford, born April 8, 1893; Cosie L. Crawford, born Oct. 20, 1899, and Janet A. Crawford, born Feb. 18, 1908.

Lucy A. (HINSHAW) BRUNTON, of Wright County, Missouri, daughter of John (3 W.) and Sarah Ann (Drake) Hinshaw, married Allison Brunton, a restaurant keeper, Jan. 26, 1888. He was born in Jackson County, Ohio, June 8, 1864. Their surviving children were born as follows: Guy Brunton, born in McLean County, Illinois, Feb. 25, 1889; Edna (Brunton) Coffman, born in Rice County, Minnesota, April 16, 1891; Eva Brunton, born in Oklahoma, Feb. 13, 1893; Lura Brunton, born in Oklahoma, Feb. 2, 1895; Homer Brunton, born in McLean County, Illinois, July 21, 1897; Silva Brunton, born in McLean County, Illinois, July 22, 1899; Logan Brunton, born in McLean County, Illinois, Nov. 2, 1901; Milo Brunton, born in Carrollton, Missouri, March 31, 1905, and Flossie Brunton, born in Texas County, Missouri, Sept. 29, 1908.

FANNIE A. (HINSHAW) TERPENNING, of Artesia, New Mexico, daughter of John (3 W.) and Sarah Ann (Drake) Hinshaw, married Andrew Terpenning, a farmer, Feb. 1, 1894. He was born in McLean County, Illinois, May 11, 1870. Their surviving children were all born in Vermilion County, Illinois, as follows: Ralph Terpenning, born Dec. 1, 1894; Henry Terpenning, born July 19, 1896, and Matrine Terpenning, born March 9, 1901.

IRA O. HINSHAW, farmer of McLean County, Illinois, son of John (3 W.) and Nancy M. (Jones) Johnson Hinshaw. Married Estella E. Smith, ——, 1898. She was born in McLean County, Illinois, ——, 1879. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: T. E. Jeffy, born ——, 1899; Margaret B. born ——, 1901; and Genevieve E., born ——, 1907.



## NATHAN HINSHAW (1 W.)

NATHAN HINSHAW, (1 W.), farmer, of McLean County, Illinois, son of Simon and Rebecca (Hobson) Hinshaw, was born in McLean County, Illinois, March 15, 1831. He married first, Philura Endicott, Jan. 3, 1858. She was born in Posey County, Indiana, Feb. 15, 1839. Three children who survived, were born of this marriage, as follows: Mary (Hinshaw) Deal, born ——, 1858; Malinda (Hinshaw) Myers, born Jan. 4, 1861, and Emma (Hinshaw) Moore, born Feb. 15, 1864.

Philura (Endicott) Hinshaw, died ——, 1867. Nathan Hinshaw (1 W.) married secondly, Hulda Neal, ——, 1868. Their only surviving child is Florence (Hinshaw) Withers, born July 13, 1869. Hulda (Neal) Hinshaw died May ——, 1873. Nathan Hinshaw (1 W.) married thirdly, Sarah E. (Ayers) Warrick, ——, 1875. Their children were born as follows: James A. Hinshaw, born April 28, 1876; Emory W. Hinshaw, born Oct. 1, 1877, and Ernest Hinshaw, of Fairbury, Ill., born, 1880.

Sarah E. (Ayers) Warrick-Hinshaw died ——, 1881. Nathan Hinshaw (1 W.) married fourthly, Nancy J. Sellingsoff, Feb. 18, 1886. She was born in Peoria County, Illinois, Nov. 6, 1853. Two sons were born of this marriage, viz: Benjamin F. Hinshaw, of Bellflower, Ill., born May 11, 1887, and Nathan P. Hinshaw, also of Bellflower, Ill., born Oct. 11, 1888.

## THE DESCENDANTS OF NATHAN HINSHAW (1 W.)

MARY (HINSHAW) DEAL, of Newton, Jasper County, Iowa, daughter of Nathan (1 W.) and Philura (Endicott) Hinshaw, married John Wesley Deal, ——, 1851. He was born in Augusta County, Virginia, ——, 1832. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Melvina Deal, born 1852; John N. Deal, born 1854; Florence Deal, born 1859, and Payne Deal, born 1862.

MALINDA (HINSHAW) MYERS, of Springfield, Oregon, daughter of Nathan (1 W.) and Philura (Endicott) Hin-



shaw, married John H. Myers, a farmer, Dec. 25, 1873. He was born in Virginia, \_\_\_\_\_. 18\_\_\_\_\_. Their children were born as follows: Violet (Myers) Jackson, born March 16, 1880, and Iva (Myers) Perry, born July 18, 1882. Mollinda (Hinshaw) Myers died in Nebraska, July 24, 1897.

EMMA (HINSHAW) MOOTS, of Saybrook, Illinois, daughter of Nathan (1 W.) and Philura (Endicott) Hinshaw, married Thomas D. Moots, a farmer, Jan. 25, 1882. He was born in McLean County, Illinois, March 16, 1858. Their children were all born in McLean County, Ill., as follows: Berton C. Moots, born May 29, 1885; Mabel (Moots) Morris, born Sept. 20, 1887, and Ernest W. Moots, born Dec. 3, 1889.

FLORENCE (HINSHAW) WITHERS, of Colfax, Illinois, daughter of Nathan (1 W.) and Huldah (Neal) Hinshaw, married D. L. Withers, a farmer, Aug. 26, 1885. He was born in Bollinger County, Missouri, Nov. 24, 1853. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: Stella Withers, born March 11, 1887; Cecile Withers, born Nov. 20, 1889; Leroy Withers, born Aug. 12, 1894, and Francis Withers, born Jan. 16, 1899.

JAMES A. HINSHAW, of Ford County, Illinois, son of Nathan (1 W.) and Sarah E. (Ayers) Warrick-Hinshaw, married Johanna H. Foss, Dec. 30, 1896. She was born in Germany, Jan. 26, 1874. Their children are Ralph W. Hinshaw, born May 15, 1900, and Esther M. Hinshaw, born Aug. 12, 1901.

EMORY W. HINSHAW, farmer of Bristol, Elkhart County, Indiana, son of Nathan (1 W.) and Sarah E. (Ayers) Warrick-Hinshaw, married Edith B. Hinshaw, Dec. 19, 1901. She was born in Carroll County, Illinois, Aug. 18, 1897. Their children were born as follows: Mabel L. Hinshaw, born Oct. 28, 1902; Walter E. Hinshaw, born April 25, 1905, and Florence E. Hinshaw, born June 28, 1907.

#### WILLIAM HINSHAW (2 W. 2 T.)

WILLIAM HINSHAW (2 W. 2 T.), farmer, son of William (1 W.) and Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, was born in Parkeville



County, North Carolina, about the year 1774. He moved to Jefferson County, Tennessee, about the year 1795. He married Margaret Hunt (a sister of Preacher Nathan Hunt of the Friends Church). Their children were Nancy (Hinshaw) Rhoads; Betsey (Hinshaw) Bond; Ezra Hinshaw (3 W. 1 T.), born 1797; Uriah Hinshaw; William Hinshaw (4 W. 4 T.), born 1804; Ruth (Hinshaw) Ells; Hammie (Hinshaw) Macy; Sarah (Hinshaw) Lee; Margaret (Hinshaw) Tabler; Lucinda (Hinshaw) Lewis, and Mary (Hinshaw) Pearce.

William Hinshaw (2 W. 2 T.) died in Jefferson County, Tennessee.

#### EZRA HINSHAW (3 W. 1 T.)

Ezra Hinshaw (3 W. 1 T.), farmer, son of William (2 W. 2 T.) and Margaret (Hunt) Hinshaw, was born in Jefferson County, Tennessee, in the year 1797. He married Jane (——) in the year 1822. Their children were Ezra W. Hinshaw (born 1840); Ira Hinshaw; Jesse Hinshaw (2 W. 4 T.); William Hinshaw (5 W. 5 T.); Benjamin Hinshaw (2 W. 2 T.); Lucinda (Hinshaw) Hadley, (No. 1); Elizabeth Hinshaw; Abigail Hinshaw and Martin J. (Hinshaw) Hadley.

Ezra Hinshaw (3 W. 1 T.) died in Keokuk County, Iowa, in the year 1874. Jane (——) Hinshaw, his wife, died in the year 1852.

#### EZRA W. HINSHAW.

Ezra W. Hinshaw, farmer, of Oskaloosa, Iowa, son of Ezra (3 W. 1 T.) and Jane (——) Hinshaw, was born in Hendryx County, Indiana, 7, 19, 1840. He married Clara Hinshaw, 8, 23, 1863. She was born 3, 22, 1846. Their children are Viola (Hinshaw) Spurigin, born 12, 30, 1868; Clarence M. Hinshaw, born 2, 17, 1868; Alvin M. Hinshaw, born 1, 15, 1870; Mabeline, born 2, 16, 1871; Stella H. (Hinshaw) Johnson, born 3, 20, 1873; Clarence J. Hinshaw, born 1, 15, 1875; John C. Hinshaw, born 9, 15, 1878; Katie E. Hinshaw, born 1,



7, 1880; Ralph Hinshaw, born 6, 14, 1881; Arvil G. Hinshaw, born 7, 1, 1883, and Harvey R. Hinshaw, born 10, 3, 1885.

### WILLIAM HINSHAW (5 W. 5 T.)

WILLIAM HINSHAW (5 W. 5 T.), son of William (2 W. 2 T.) and Margaret (Hunt) Hinshaw, was born in Jefferson County, Tennessee, in the year 1804. He married Matilda B. Doane in the year 1830. She was born also in Jefferson County, Tennessee, in the year 1806. Their children were as follows: John Hinshaw (3 W. 2 T.) (Hinshaw) Woodward (born in Jefferson County, Tennessee, 1832, died in Hardin County, Iowa, 1860); Thomas Doane Hinshaw (born in Jefferson County, Tennessee, Aug. 5, 1835); Susan Hinshaw, Joseph R. Hinshaw, Elizabeth Hinshaw, Hannah Hinshaw, Lucinda (Hinshaw) Parley (No. 2), born in Morgan County, Indiana, Jan. 4, 1840; Julia A. Hinshaw and Nancy J. (Hinshaw) Woodward, of Putte County, California, (born 1853).

William Hinshaw (5 W. 5 T.) died in Hardin County, Iowa, in the year 1887. Matilda B. (Doane) Hinshaw, his wife, died in Morgan County, Indiana, in the year 1872.

### THOMAS DOANE HINSHAW

THOMAS DOANE HINSHAW, real estate dealer, of Denver, Colorado, son of William (5 W. 5 T.) and Matilda B. (Doane) Hinshaw, married Anna H. Lindy March 17, 1859. She was born in Grant County, Indiana, June 18, 1842. Their children were all born in Hardin County, Iowa, as follows: Mary E. (Hinshaw) Hill, of Denver, Colo., born March 17, 1860; Mrs. F. H. (Hinshaw) Holmes, of Porter County, Indiana, born Feb. 28, 1862; Dr. Levi E. Hinshaw, of Chicago, Ill., born Nov. 27, 1864; William Wade Hinshaw, Sr., of New York City, N. Y., (grand opera singer), born Nov. —, 1867; Sarah M. Hinshaw, born Aug. —, 1870, (died Sept. —, 1887); Marvin V. Hinshaw, of Denver, Colo., (concert singer and public reader), born Sept. —, 1873; Graciana (Hinshaw) Pearson, of Winterset, Iowa,



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Washington, born March —, 1876, and John A. Hinshaw, of Chicago, Ill., (manager Hinshaw Conservatory of Music), born Dec. 4, 1880.

Anna H. (Lundy) Hinshaw died in Hardin County, Iowa, April —, 1880.

The surviving children of Thomas Doane and Anna H. (Lundy) Hinshaw have been exceptionally successful in their chosen professions.

#### DR. LEVI E. HINSHAW.

DR. LEVI E. HINSHAW (physician), of 1513 West Madison street, Chicago, Illinois, son of Thomas Doane and Anna H. (Lundy) Hinshaw, was born in Hardin County, Iowa, Nov. 27, 1864. He married first Addie M. Bates, Sept. 18, 1889. She was born in Hardin County, Iowa, Jan. 23, 1867. Their daughter, Edith Adelle Hinshaw, was born at Cedar, Hardin County, Iowa, March 1, 1891.

Addie M. (Bates) Hinshaw died in Hardin County, Iowa, April —, 1896.

Dr. Levi E. Hinshaw married second'y, Della C. Shafer, Sept. 14, 1902. She was born at Beardstown, Cass County, Illinois, Nov. 9, 1868.

We present herewith the following autobiographical sketch of Dr. Levi E. Hinshaw, as written by himself.

"Growing up on a farm on Honey Creek, Hardin County, Iowa, with all the boyhood pleasures, such as fishing, hunting, swimming in the old 'swimming hole,' horseback riding, baseball, brass band, herding the sheep, and last, but not least, the district school with the debating society, and the little Quaker church that stood from by the age of 17, my ~~original~~ occupation was getting an education.

"Teaching school and going to school and college, graduating in the scientific course, and law course at the Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana, and in medicine at Holman and Dunham Medical College of Chicago, receiving the degrees of B. S., L. L. D., and M. D. Have since followed the practice of medicine and for the past nine years giving special attention to the treatment of cancers and tumors without the use of the



knife. Have lectured in several medical colleges during the past five years. Have advanced to the 32nd degree in Masonry, being a member of the Oriental Consistory and also the Shrine (Medina Temple), and am also a member of the I. O. O. F. Lodge, the M. W. of A., the R. N. of A. and the Maccabees. Have never traveled abroad, but have traveled all over the United States."

Dr. Levi E. Hinshaw is the author and distributor of a valuable pamphlet entitled "The Philosophy of Living."

#### WILLIAM WADE HINSHAW (SR.)

WILLIAM WADE HINSHAW (SR.), of New York City, N. Y., (grand opera singer), son of Thomas Doane and Anna H. (Lundy) Hinshaw, was born in Hardin County, Iowa, Nov. 2, 1867. He married first Anna Williams, in the year 1892. She was born in the year 1868. Their children were born as follows: Carl Williams Hinshaw, born in Cook County, Illinois, in the year 1894; William Wade Hinshaw, Jr., born in Porter County, Indiana, in the year 1898; Thomas Doane Hinshaw, Jr., born in Cook County, Illinois, in the year 1899, and Anna Marie Hinshaw, born also in Cook County, Illinois, in the year 1901.

Anna (Williams) Hinshaw died in the year 1905.

William Wade Hinshaw, Sr., married secondly, Mabel Clyde (daughter of William P. Clyde, millionaire steamship owner, of New York City, N. Y.), June 3, 1911.

William Wade Hinshaw, Sr., has had a very successful career as a grand opera singer, and continues to enjoy a well deserved popularity.

#### MARVIN V. HINSHAW.

MARVIN V. HINSHAW, of Denver, Colo., (concert singer and public reader), son of Thomas Doane and Anna H. (Lundy) Hinshaw, married Della Amerson, daughter of William Amerson, \_\_\_\_\_. She was born \_\_\_\_\_. Their children were born as follows: Sadie A. Hinshaw, born February, 1895; Florence H. Hinshaw, born November, 1901; Della











G. Hinshaw, born August, 1903, and Marvin V. Hinshaw, Jr., born August, 1907.

John A. Hinshaw, of Chicago, Ill., son of Thomas Doane and Anna H. (Lundy) Hinshaw, married Ila Burlap.

### LUCINDA (HINSHAW) HADLEY (No. 2)

LUCINDA (HINSHAW) HADLEY (No. 2), of Eldora, Hardin County, Iowa, daughter of William (5 W. 5 T.) and Matilda B. (Doane) Hinshaw, married Sanders S. Hadley, a farmer, Nov. 15, 1860. He was born in Surry County, North Carolina, Oct. 15, 1840. Their children were all born in Hardin County, Iowa, as follows: Mary J., born Aug. 20, 1861; William S., born Nov. 23, 1863; Martha C., born Nov. 27, 1866, (died July 5, 1907); Grant T., born Dec. 14, 1871; Fannie B., born June 4, 1874; Guy C., born May 27, 1876; Ray S., born July 14, 1878, and John L., born Aug. 16, 1883.

### THOMAS HINSHAW (1 T.)

THOMAS HINSHAW (1 T.), son of —— and —— (—) Hinshaw, and Mary Marshall, of Grange Meeting (Friends), near Charlemont, in County Tyrone, Ireland, were married at Grange Meeting, May 5, 1708.

### JACOB HINSHAW (1 T.)

JACOB HINSHAW (1 T.), of Grange, in the Parish of Clarickill, County Tyrone, Ireland, (born about the year 1710), son of Thomas (1 T.) and Mary (Marshall) Hinshaw, and Rebecca Mackie, of Kineau, Parish of Kilmore, County Armagh, Ireland, (born about the year 1715), daughter of Joseph and Ann Mackie, were married Nov. 6, 1735, in the Friends Meeting House in Ballyhagan, County Armagh. In the year 1741, Jacob Hinshaw (1 T.) emigrated with his family from Ireland to New Garden, Chester County, Pennsylvania. They resided later at Menallen, in York (now Adams) County—Warrington Monthly Meeting—1748, and still later (1758) in Monaghan Township, York County, Pennsylvania.



About the year 1765 they removed to Cane Creek, Orange County, North Carolina, settling finally at Sandy Creek, in Randolph County, upon land purchased by Jacob Hinshaw (1 T.) from Herman Husband, leader of the Regulators.

According to the records of the Friend's Meeting at Cane Creek, Jacob Hinshaw (1 T.), son of Thomas (1 T.) and Mary (Marshall) Hinshaw, died "3 Mo. 31, 1796," aged about 86 years, and Rebecca, his wife, daughter of Joseph and Ann Mackie, died "6 Mo. 16, 1796," aged about 80 years.

Their children were Ann (Hinshaw) McMillan (who married George McMillan in 1758 and remained at Warrington, Pa.); Benjamin Hinshaw, (1 T.); Tobias Hinshaw (2 T.); William Hinshaw (1 T.); John Hinshaw (1 T.); Jacob Hinshaw, (2 T.); Joseph Hinshaw; Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw; Elizabeth Hinshaw; Jane Hinshaw, and Rebecca (Hinshaw) Cox.

#### BENJAMIN HINSHAW (1 T.)

BENJAMIN HINSHAW, (1 T.), son of Jacob (1 T.) and Rebecca (Mackie) Hinshaw, was born in Ireland, about the year 1738. He married Elizabeth ——, in Ireland, came to Chester County, Pennsylvania, with his parents' family in the year 1741, and settled finally at Cane Creek, Orange County, North Carolina, about the year 1765.

This Benjamin Hinshaw (1 T.) and his brother, John Hinshaw (1 T.), belonged to an organization known as the Regulators, a band of colonists in the interior of North Carolina, who, a few years prior to the Revolution, organized and armed themselves for the purpose of resisting the excessive taxation of the British colonial government. (See Harper's "Encyclopedia of United States History," Volume 7, pages 392 and 393).

For joining this organization, Benjamin (1 T.) and John Hinshaw (1 T.) were disowned by the Friend's Meeting at Cane Creek, and Benjamin (1 T.) was never re-instated; therefore the records of that meeting afford no further information with regard to him or his family.

It is said, however, that the family were continuing the







record of births, etc., in his family may be somewhere in Indiana in the possession of one of his descendants.

Benjamin Hinshaw (1 T.) and Elizabeth (—) Hinshaw, his wife, were the parents of a large family, among whom were Absolem Hinshaw (1 T.); Jacob Hinshaw, (2 T.); Thomas Hinshaw, (3 T.); William Hinshaw, (3 T.), grandfather of George W. Hinshaw, of Winston Salem, N. C.; Elizabeth Hinshaw, and Mary Hinshaw. Benjamin Hinshaw (1 T.) died at the home of his son, William Hinshaw (2 T.) in Chatham County, North Carolina, about the year 1840.

### JESSEE HINSHAW, SR., (1 J.)

JESSEE HINSHAW, Sr. (1 J.), son of John (1 J.) and Elizabeth (—) Hinshaw, was born in County Tyrone, Ireland, about the year 1720. He married Abigail Marshall, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth Marshall (also born in County Tyrone, Ireland), at Grange, near Char'ement, in the year 1745. They emigrated from Ireland to America, settling in Orange County, North Carolina, in the year 1758. They were the parents of six children, five of whom were born in County Tyrone, Ireland, and one born in Orange County, North Carolina.

The children of Jesse (1 J.) and Ruth (Marshall) Hinshaw, were born as follows: John (2 J.), born Oct. 11, 1747; Benjamin (1 J.), born Oct. 2, 1749; Joseph, born June 7, 1752; Ruth, born Nov. 11, 1763; Abigail, born Jan. 7, 1766, and Jesse Hinshaw, Jr., (2 J.) born in America, Aug. 9, 1770.

All the members of this family who emigrated from Ireland were members of the Grange Meeting of Men's, in Ireland, and their certificates brought from that meeting all bear date of "20th 3rd M<sup>o</sup>, 1768."

There came with them from Ireland to North Carolina in 1758, the following persons, viz: Absolem Hinshaw, Sr., and wife, Rebecca (Haddock) Hinshaw, and their four children: Elizabeth, Absolem, Jr., Jacob Hinshaw (1 T.) and wife, Rebecca (Mackie) Hinshaw, also William Hinshaw



(1 W.) and his sons, Ezra (1 W.) and Thomas (1 W.) and a Miss Alice Hinshaw.

Sarah (——) Hinshaw, first wife of William Hinshaw (1 W.), died during the voyage and was buried at sea.

Jessee Hinshaw, Sr. (1 J.), son of John (1 J.), and Elizabeth (——) Hinshaw, died near Cane Creek, North Carolina, April 29, 1797. Abigail (Marshall) Hinshaw, his wife, died also near Cane Creek, N. C., March 18, 1802.

### JESSEE HINSHAW, JR. (2 J.)

JESSEE HINSHAW, JR. (2 J.), son of Jessee Hinshaw, Sr. (1 J.) and Abigail (Marshall) Hinshaw, was born in Orange County, North Carolina, Aug. 9, 1770. (Orange County at that time included Alamance, Guilford, Chatham and Randolph Counties).

Jessee Hinshaw, Jr. (2 J.) was married three times. He married first, Mary Marshall, daughter of Jacob and Margaret (Cypert) Marshall, in the year 1790. She was born June 22, 1773.

Six children were born of this marriage, as follows: Ruth Hinshaw (who married William Hinshaw (2 T.) and was the grandmother of George W. Hinshaw, of Winston-Salem, N. C.), born April 17, 1791; Jacob Hinshaw (1 J.), born April 7, 1793; Benjamin Hinshaw (2 J.), born Feb. 1, 1795; Isaac Hinshaw, born June 2, 1799; Margaret Hinshaw, born Oct. 17, 1800, and (Rev.) John Hinshaw (2 J.), born May 26, 1802. All of these children were born in Chatham County, North Carolina.

Mary (Marshall) Hinshaw, first wife of Jessee Hinshaw, Jr. (1 J.), died in the year 1807.

Jessee Hinshaw, Jr. (2 J.), married secondly, Deborah Hinshaw, daughter of Benjamin (1 T.) and Elizabeth (——) Hinshaw, Feb. 18, 1808. Six children were born of this marriage as follows: Rebecca Hinshaw, born April 4, 1809; Ira Hinshaw, born Jan. 24, 1812; Ann Hinshaw, born Oct. 11, 1813; Zeno Hinshaw, No. 2, born Sept. 27, 1815; Jane Hinshaw, born May 12, 1817, and Barzilla Hinshaw, born June 14, 1819.



Elizabeth (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, second wife of Jesse Hinshaw, Jr. (2 J.), died April 18, 1823. Jesse Hinshaw, Jr. (2 J.), married thirdly, Letitia Moss, Nov. 6, 1823. No children were born of this marriage.

Jesse Hinshaw, Jr. (2 J.), died Aug. 20, 1846.

### WILLIAM HINSHAW. (3 T.).

WILLIAM HINSHAW (3 T.), son of Benjamin (1 T.) and Elizabeth (—) Hinshaw, was born in Chatham County, North Carolina, June 28, 1789. He married Ruth Hinshaw, daughter of Jesse Hinshaw, Jr. (2 J.), and Mary (Marshall) Hinshaw, about the year 1808. She was born Sept. 17, 1791.

Their children were all born in Chatham County, North Carolina, as follows: Mary, born "14th, 4th Mo., 1810;" Jedidiah, born "12th, 7th Mo., 1812;" Elizabeth, born "11th, 8th Mo., 1814;" Michael, (grandfather of Solomon Hinshaw, of Hamilton County, Indiana), born "28th, 7th Mo., 1816;" Jesse (1 T. 3 J.), born "15th, 11th Mo., 1818;" Abigail, born "16th, 6th Mo., 1820; Zinri, (father of George W. Hinshaw, of Winston-Salem, N. C., born "28th, 9th Mo., 1822;" Margaret, born "29th, 9th Mo., 1824; Martin, born "4th, 1st Mo., 1827;" Deliahinsh, born "18th, 12th Mo., 1828;" Jemima, born "10th, 9th Mo., 1830;" Malinda (No. 2), born "26th, 12th Mo., 1830," and Dianah, born "8th, 5th Mo., 1835."

Ruth (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, wife of William Hinshaw (3 T.), died in the year 1836.

William Hinshaw (3 T.), her husband, died Jan. 1, 1850.

### MICHAEL HINSHAW.

MICHAEL HINSHAW, farmer, and merchant, of Chatham County, North Carolina, son of William (3 T.) and Ruth Hinshaw, was born in Chatham County, North Carolina, June 28, 1816. He married Rachel Kemp in the year 1844. She was born also in Chatham County, North Carolina, about the year 1820. Their children were all born in North Carolina, as follows: Amy (Hinshaw) Stuard, born 1846, died



1909); Solomon Hinshaw, born 1841; Ruth Hinshaw (No. 2), born 1844; Dinah (Hinshaw) Unthank, born 1847, (died 1897); Tamar (Hinshaw) Follow, born 1848; Lannah (Hinshaw) Andrew, born 1851; Metty (Hinshaw) Buckner, born 1853, (died 1893); Mitten (Hinshaw), born 1855, and John H. Hinshaw, born 1857, (died 1892).

Rachel (Kemp) Hinshaw died in Chatham County, North Carolina, in the year 1895.

Michael Hinshaw died also in Chatham County, North Carolina, in the year 1884.

### SOLOMON HINSHAW.

SOLOMON HINSHAW, farmer, of Westfield, Hamilton County, Indiana, son of Michael and Rachel (Kemp) Hinshaw, married Elizabeth Beals in the year 1857. She was born in Hamilton County, Indiana, in the year 1849. Their children were all born in Hamilton County, Indiana, as follows: Rachel E. (Hinshaw) Briles, born 1868; Elwin M. Hinshaw (bank examiner), born 1870, and John L. Hinshaw (banker), born 1874.

### ZIMRI HINSHAW.

ZIMRI HINSHAW, son of William (3 T.) and Ruth (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, married first Martha McMath Clark, daughter of William and Courtney Clark, (all of Chatham County, North Carolina), March 14th, 1844. She was born Sept. 3, 1816. Their children were all born in Chatham County, North Carolina, as follows: Sarah Ann, born Jan. 21, 1845; George W. (of Winston-Salem, N. C.), born April 22, 1847; Margaret Ellen, born April 15, 1850; William M., born March 25, 1852; Mary C., born Sept. 2, 1854; and Emily C., born May 12, 1855.

Martin McMath (Clark) Hinshaw, died July 21, 1882.

Zimri Hinshaw married secondly, Mary Ellen White. One son was born of this marriage, viz.: Harrison Hinshaw Hinshaw.

Zimri Hinshaw died Sept. 20, 1900.



SOLONON HENSHAW

ELIZABETH HENSHAW



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## OLD HINSHAW WILLS.

JACOB HINSHAW (1 T.) made a will in the year 1796, and in it he names his wife, Rebecca. He also makes his son-in-law, William Hinshaw (1 W.), and his daughter, Jane Hinshaw, his executors. He names his children in this will as follows: William Hinshaw (1 T.), Ann McMillan, Thomas Hinshaw (2 T.), Joseph Hinshaw, Benjamin Hinshaw (1 T.), Mary Hinshaw, Jacob Hinshaw, Jr. (2 T.), Rebecca Cox, Elizabeth Hinshaw, and Jane Hinshaw.

WILLIAM HINSHAW (1 W.) made a will in the year 1818, and in it he names his children as follows: Ezra Hinshaw (1 W.), William Hinshaw (2 W. 2 T.), Samuel Hinshaw, Jesse Hinshaw (1 W. 3 T.), George Hinshaw (Sr.), Benjamin Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.), Jacob Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.), Sarah Hammond, Mary Hadley, and Rebecca Hadley. The names of his children Thomas (1 W.) and Elizabeth are not mentioned.

MARY HINSHAW, wife of William Hinshaw (1 W.), made a will recorded at Asheboro, N. C., in the year 1822. In it she names the following children, viz: Jacob Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.), Samuel Hinshaw, Mary Hadley, Rebecca Hadley, Jesse Hinshaw (1 W. 3 T.), George Hinshaw (Sr.), and Benjamin Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.). The names of Ezra Hinshaw (2 W. 2 T.), Sarah Hammond and Elizabeth Hinshaw, are not mentioned.

In America, the Hinshaws were mostly farmers, but some of them were mechanics and school teachers. They were among the first to establish stores and factories in some localities, and in later years many of them became ministers and preachers.

In religion practically all of the earliest members of the Hinshaw families who settled in America and their immediate descendants were devout adherents of the doctrine of the Society or Quaker church.

## GEORGE HINSHAW, SR.

George Hinshaw, sexton, pioneer farmer of McLean County, Illinois, son of William (1 W.) and Mary Hinshaw (1 T.).



shaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, Oct. 1, 1776. He married first Elizabeth Worthington in North Carolina, in the year 1805. She was born July 12, 1777. One child, a daughter, Malinda Hinshaw (Mrs. William Russell Robinson, afterwards Mrs. George Blount, Sr.), was born of this marriage, Jan. 30, 1807. George Hinshaw, Sr., was a maker of gunpowder while he lived in North Carolina, and his first wife was killed in an accidental explosion while assisting her husband in this work. Later, with his little daughter, Malinda, Mr. Hinshaw moved to Overton County, Tennessee, where he married secondly, Susannah Johnson. She was born in Warren County, Tennessee, Nov. 12, 1772. Seven children were born of this marriage, six of whom lived to maturity. They were as follows: Cyrus (1 W. 1), born 1811, (died 1828); William (6 W. 6 T.), born 1814, died 1836; Polly Ann, (Mrs. James Benson); Nancy, (Mrs. William T. T. Benson); Cynthia, (Mrs. Jared D. Franklin); Jehu Hinshaw and George Hinshaw, Jr.

In the year 1826, Mr. Hinshaw and Stephen Webb, Sr., came to Illinois in a small two-horse wagon and entered some land along the Kankakee River, near Joliet, Illinois, intending to settle there. They then returned to Tennessee for their families, and early in the spring of the year 1827, Mr. Hinshaw, his brother, Jacob, Stephen Webb, Sr., and William McCord started for Illinois. The men rode horse-back and brought their families and personal effects in covered wagons drawn by oxen. There were no railroads in those days. They had a very pleasant journey, however, until they reached the Ohio River, then their troubles began. The spring rains set in and the streams were soon overflowing. These they crossed on rafts, temporarily constructed. It was necessary for them to unload and load their goods at every such crossing. They made their horses and oxen swim the streams with the wagons.

They had to stop awhile in Indiana on account of bad roads and high rivers. They crossed the Sangamon at Newcom's ford, near Urbana, on a raft and were delayed there one week.

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of McLean County), they had great difficulty in crossing the stream at that place, and so camped there a while. Then a great wind storm came up and nearly blew them away, teams, wagons and all. When they finally arrived in what is now McLean County, Illinois, July 31, 1827, the country was so wet that it was impossible to go much farther. Moreover, some trouble had just occurred between the whites at Galena, Ill., and the Winnebago Indians, and the settlers feared an Indian war in the north part of this state. For these reasons the party decided not to go on to the Kankakee. Mr. Hinshaw then bought a "claim" of twenty acres of timber land with a one-room log cabin upon it. This tract is situated in the S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 17, T. 23 N., R. 2 E., 3rd P. M. and forms the north end of the farm now owned by Mr. William Anthony. For this claim, Mr. Hinshaw gave a wagon and a yoke of oxen, worth altogether about fifty dollars. The same land is now worth upwards of two hundred and fifty dollars per acre at a conservative valuation.

Mr. Hinshaw occupied the log cabin on his "claim" for a few years until he could build a larger and better home, when he rented the cabin to James T. Miller (maternal grandfather of the editor of this volume), who came out with his family from Virginia in the year 1834, and who occupied it in turn about one year until he purchased a farm and built a house of his own. This cabin stood near the Springfield road, a few rods south of the present site of the Hinshaw school house.

It appears from the McLean County Deed Records General Index Book No. 1, that George Hinshaw, Sr., entered the W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 17, T. 23 N., R. 2 E., 3rd P. M. (80 acres), Feb. 15, 1830, and the E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 17, T. 23 N., R. 2 E., 3rd P. M. (80 acres), April 11, 1831. For all of this land Mr. Hinshaw paid the regular government price of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre. He later purchased a number of other tracts, among them being the N. E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 12, T. 23 N., R. 2 E., 3rd P. M. (10 acres) purchased of William McKisson and wife, April 2, 1847, for one hundred and fifty dollars.



and another tract of 76 acres in Sec. 19, T. 23, N. R. 2 E. 3rd P. M. purchased of Peter Withers, Jan. 1, 1838, for three hundred dollars, (book M, page 98.). Most of this land was located in what was known to the early settlers in McLean County as "Keg Grove" sometimes called Hinshaw's Grove," and was covered originally with a fine growth of native timber.

George Hinshaw, Sr. and his family endured all the hardships that were common to the pioneers of Illinois.

During the first years he spent in this state, Mr. Hinshaw ground all the corn meal used by his family with a wooden mortar and pestle. He often dressed deer skins and made clothing out of them for himself and children, and his wife and daughters spun thread and yarn and wove cloth from which their clothing was made.

Mr. Hinshaw marketed his cattle and hogs in Chicago, Ill., driving them overland as did the other pioneer farmers of Central Illinois in the days before railroads were built.

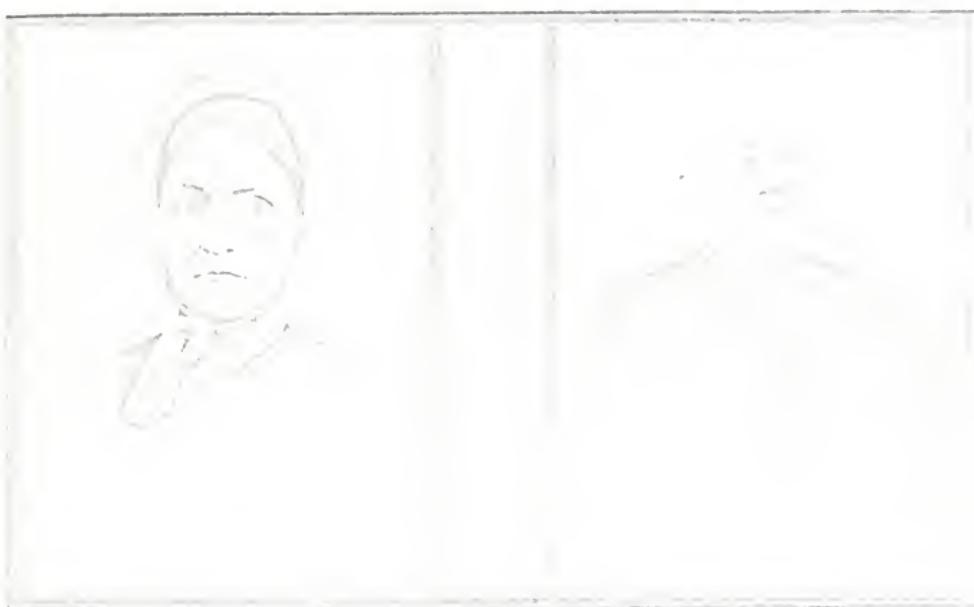
George Hinshaw, Sr., was elected to the Illinois House of Representatives, Tenth General Assembly, from McLean County, on the Democratic ticket in the year 1836. He served one term as a member of that body. Its regular session convened at Vandalia, (then the state capital), Aug. 5, 1836, and adjourned March 6, 1837. It convened again in special session July 10, 1837, and adjourned July 22 of the same year. (See "Blue Book of Illinois," Vol. 3, page 502).

It was during this special session that the great "Internal Improvement" bill was passed. Mr. Hinshaw was strongly opposed to this measure and asked permission to sign his name in red ink in protest against it in order that the other members might better know how he had voted.

The subsequent inglorious failure of the "Internal Improvement" scheme proved the wisdom of his opinion. (See Session Laws of Illinois, 1837, also Morris' *History of Illinois*).

When Mr. Hinshaw attended these sessions of the legislature it is said he made the trips on foot. In the winter of December, 1840, Mr. Hinshaw erected the building now occupied by the No. 84 school house (old No. 7) and it is





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School) to the School Trustees of Town 23 North, Range 2 East of the Third Principal Meridian for the nominal consideration of one dollar. This donation was made upon condition that the school house then built upon the tract conveyed should be held free to all religious denominations as a place for holding services "on Saturdays and Sundays."

George Hinshaw, Sr., died at the home of his son, George Hinshaw, Jr., in Sec. 8, Bloomington Town 'ipp., McLean County, Illinois, April 27, 1862. Susannah (Johnson) Hinshaw, his second wife, died May 9, 1887. Their remains are buried in Seigin's Cemetery, four miles southwest of the city of Bloomington, Illinois.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF GEORGE HINSHAW, SR.

##### MALINDA (HINSHAW) ROBINSON-BLOUNT.

MALINDA HINSHAW, daughter of George Hinshaw, Sr., and Elizabeth (Worthington) Hinshaw, was born in Franklin County, North Carolina, Jan. 30, 1807. She came to Illinois in the year 1827. She married first, William Russell Robinson, a farmer. Their children were Elizabeth Robinson (Mrs. Jeremiah Adams, afterwards Mrs. Edward Sneed, of Kansas); Larkin Robinson, Jasper Robinson, Polly Ann Robinson (Mrs. Isaac Tucker, of Missouri); Mary Jane Robinson (Mrs. John Dayback, of Oregon); Newton Robinson, William Russell Robinson, died March 23, 1843. Malinda (Hinshaw) Robinson married secondly, Henry Blount, Sr., Oct. 2, 1845. Their children were Henry Blount, Jr., (who married Minnie (Lattuada) Scarrow), and George Blount, who died unmarried.

Malinda (Hinshaw) Robinson-Blount died at her home southwest of Bloomington, Illinois, Feb. 11, 1887. Her remains are buried in Seigin's Cemetery, near the home where she died.

##### POLLY ANN (HINSHAW) BENSON.

POLLY ANN (HINSHAW) BENSON, daughter of George Hinshaw, and Susannah (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Overton County, Tennessee, March 30, 1811. She came to Illinois



with her parents in the year 1827. She married James Benson, son of John, (Sr.), and Sarah (Musick) Benson, Nov. 6, 1828. He was born in Montgomery County, Kentucky, Oct. 26, 1805. Their children, who lived to maturity, were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: William Benson, born April 15, 1830, (died April 11, 1904); Elizabeth (Benson) Knight, of Colfax, Illinois, born Dec. 27, 1831; Nancy (Benson) Gilstrap, born Nov. 10, 1833, (died Sept. 5, 1908); Cyrus H. Benson, of St. Louis, Mo., born Sept. 16, 1835, (enlisted in Co. G, 17th Ill. Vol. Inf., Sept. 9, 1861; served as clerk in the Sanitary Commission, died May 24, 1864); Jesse M. Benson, born Nov. 12, 1837, (enlisted also in Co. G, 17th Ill. Vol. Inf., May 25, 1861, and was mustered out June 4, 1864; died Dec. 18, 1908); Sarah Jane (Benson) Chism, born Oct. 17, 1839, (died Oct. 17, 1890); Susannah (Benson) Arnold, of Waitsburg, Wash., born May 22, 1844; James P. Benson, of Andover, Ill., born Aug. 21, 1846; Emily W. (Benson) Collier, of Bayard, Neb., born April 2, 1851; Edward C. Benson, of Kansas City, Mo., born May 4, 1855, and Horace M. Benson, born April 8, 1857.

Polly Ann (Hinshaw) Benson died in McLean County, Illinois, in the year 1869.

James Benson, her husband, died Sept. 9, 1883.

#### ELIZABETH (BENSON) KNIGHT.

ELIZABETH (BENSON) KNIGHT, of Colfax, Ill., daughter of John and Polly Ann (Hinshaw) Benson, married Rev. Mr. H. H. Knight, (Christian minister and farmer), Nov. 18, 1852. He was born in Caledonia County, Vermont, June 3, 1821. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: William B. Knight (carpenter), of Sacramento, Cal., born Feb. 22, 1855; Alice J. Knight, of Colfax, Ill., born July 13, 1859; Winton C. Knight (farmer), of Grand Junction, Colo., born Sept. 25, 1863; Homer A. (Knight) Harris, born May 7, 1864; Doris H. Knight, (farmer), of McLean County, Illinois, born Oct. 16, 1867; Rev. James W. Knight, (Christian minister), born Jan. 1,



1869, (died April 23, 1904), and Lois E. (Knight) Collins, of McLean County, Illinois, born Aug. 21, 1871.

Rev. Moses H. Knight died in McLean County, Illinois, Jan. 21, 1879.

### NANCY (HINSHAW) BENSON.

NANCY (HINSHAW) BENSON, daughter of George Hinshaw, Sr., and Susannah (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Overton County, Tennessee, Dec. 24, 1816. She came to Illinois with her parents in the year 1827. She married William T. T. Benson, a farmer, in McLean County, Illinois, Sept. 25, 1834. He was born in Gibson County, Indiana, Dec. 12, 1811. Their children were born as follows: George H. Benson, born Aug. 1, 1835; Susannah H. (Benson) Lollis, born ——, 1838; Melissa A. (Benson) Conner, born Nov. 24, 1840, and Thomas Benson, born ——, 1842, (died 1859).

Nancy (Hinshaw) Benson died in McLean County, Illinois, March ——, 1875.

William T. T. Benson, her husband, died ——, 1878. Their remains are buried in the Benson Cemetery, White Oak Township, McLean County, Illinois.

GEORGE H. BENSON, son of William T. T. and Nancy (Hinshaw) Benson, married Neety Ann Robison. Their children are: Francis M. Benson, of Winfield, Kan.; Thomas M. Benson, of Hunter, Okla.; Wooster Benson, of Hunter, Okla.; (Benson) Van Buren, of Haven, Kan.; William Benson, of ——, Minn.; Earl Benson, of ——, Minn., and Jessie Benson, of Hunter, Okla.

SUSANNAH H. (BENSON) LOLLIS, daughter of William T. T. and Nancy (Hinshaw) Benson, married Michael W. J. Dow, of Bloomington, Ill. Their children were: William Dow (dec.); Bert. Lollis, Dow Lollis, and Anna Lollis, all of Minnesota.

Susannah H. (Benson) Lollis died in McLean County, Minnesota, in the year 1898.

MELISSA A. (BENSON) CONNER, of Vona, Okla., daughter of William T. T. and Nancy (Hinshaw) Benson, married



Robert M. Conger, Dec. 5, 1866. Their children were all born in McLean County, Illinois, as follows: George D. Conger, born Nov. 17, 1857, (married Gertrude Hodges, April 15, 1895); Nannie B. (Conger) Chrisman, born April 23, 1869, (married Cassius M. Chrisman, Feb. 29, 1894); Lorain B. Conger, born Aug. 12, 1872, (married Pearl Watkins, March 7, 1899); Olive D. (Conger) Grennan, born July 6, 1874, (married Joseph F. Grennan, Feb. 21, 1895); Luella Conger, born Sept. 24, 1876, and Robert W. Conger, of Bristow, Okla., born July 25, 1889.

### CYNTHIA (HINSHAW) FRANKLIN.

CYNTHIA (HINSHAW) FRANKLIN, daughter of George Hinshaw, Sr., and Susannah (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Overton County, Tennessee, July 18, 1815 (?). She came to Illinois with her parents in the year 1827. She married Jared D. Franklin (a farmer and carpenter), in McLean County, Illinois, Oct. 1, 1839. He was born in Connecticut, March 20, 1814. Their children were Laura (Franklin) Mitchell, born Aug. 10, 1840; George Franklin, born Aug. 11, 1842, (enlisted in Co. G, 4th Ill. Cavalry, Civil War, Aug. 21, 1862, and was honorably discharged for disability, March 18, 1863); Allen Franklin, born Sept. 11, 1844, (married Alice Mitchell); Candace (Franklin) Johnson, born Oct. 17, 1845; Anna (Franklin) Johnson, born March 9, 1850, and Benjamin Franklin, born Dec. 29, 1854, (married Ella Lambert).

Cynthia (Hinshaw) Franklin died in Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, April 15, 1892.

Jared D. Franklin, her husband, died Aug. 7, 1890. Their remains are buried in East White Oak Cemetery, Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois.

### JEHU HINSHAW.

(Written by His Son, William Hinshaw, 17 W. 7 T.)

JEHU HINSHAW, pioneer farmer and Christian minister, son of George Hinshaw, Sr., and Susannah (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Overton County, Tennessee, Feb. 27, 1810.



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He came to Illinois with his parents in the year 1827. He grew to manhood through all the hardships and pleasures of pioneer life. He married first, Cynthia Ann Elizabeth Beeler, daughter of William and Mary (Hall) Beeler, in McLean County, Illinois, Oct. 31, 1830. She was born in Fayette County, Kentucky, in the year 1820. On the 19th day of June, 1840, Mr. Hinshaw purchased 100 acres of land of his parents for the sum of eight hundred dollars. (See McLean County, Illinois, Deed Record, Volume 1, Page 372). When Mr. Hinshaw bought this land it was a part of McLean County, but when the county of Woodford was organized in the year 1841, his farm became a part of the latter, the south line of his land forming part of the boundary between the two counties.

Mr. Hinshaw settled upon this farm, which was located upon the prairie near the Mackinaw River, about twelve miles north of the city of Bloomington, Ill. The families of his sisters, Mrs. Nancy Benson, Mrs. Polly Ann Benson, and Mrs. Cynthia Franklin were all settled near him. He learned the carpenters trade before his marriage. He built a log house of logs taken from his own thal or timber, and improved forty acres of his land, fencing it with rails cut and split by himself.

He broke his ground the first two years with an ox team. He made all the first household furniture which he owned, and was still using some of it when the writer, his second son, was married. He and his brother-in-law, Mr. J. D. Franklin, owned a water saw-mill on S. N. Mill Creek, near their homes.

They cut and hauled the logs and sawed their own lumber for the houses which they built on their farms a few years later.

Mr. Hinshaw farmed and improved his land by successive tracts.

From a point one mile south of his house to within two miles of Bloomington, was an unbroken stretch of prairie, and it remained so until the year 1850. By 1865 all of this land was taken up and farms made out of it.

Before this great tract of prairie was settled upon, Mr.



Hinshaw and his neighbors hunted wolves over it on horseback. They would run the wolves down, then jump off their horses, seize the wolves by the hind legs, swing them over the head and strike their bodies upon the ground until they were killed.

Mr. Hinshaw became an expert in killing wolves in this way. He was never bitten by one of them. His grasp was so sure and his movements so swift that the wolf ran down never escaped him.

Mr. Hinshaw was a man of strictly temperate habits. He stood for truth, honesty and fair dealing with all his fellow-men. He became a minister of the Christian church, and was an earnest student of the Bible.

He was married three times. Five of his children by his first wife are now living, viz: Adolphus Hinshaw, of Eureka, Ill.; William Hinshaw, (7 W. 7 T.), of 806 East Chestnut street, Bloomington, Ill.; Levi Hinshaw, of Johnson, Ill.; Alonzo Hinshaw, of Wilson, Kan., and Mr. Ellen Berry, of Nevada, Mo.

Cynthia Ann Elizabeth (Beeler) Hinshaw, first wife of Jehu Hinshaw, died June 9, 1857, and Je'm Hinshaw married secondly, Mary Ann Johnson, Jan. 25, 1860. Of this second marriage three children survive, viz: Grant Hinshaw, of St. Paul, Minn.; George W. Hinshaw, Nov. 24, of Carlock, Ill.; and Mrs. Emma Beeler, of Nevada, Mo.

Mary Ann (Johnson) Hinshaw died April 17, 1887, and Jehu Hinshaw married thirdly, Margaret D. Stevenson Smith, Oct. 30, 1887. No children were born of this marriage.

Je'm Hinshaw died at Eureka, Ill., Oct. 15, 1887, aged 81 years, leaving his widow, Margaret Stevenson Smith Hinshaw, and a host of friends, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren to mourn their loss, for the second.

His remains are buried in St. White (Methodist) cemetery, Kansas Township, Woodford County, Ill.

(The tribute of his son, William).



## THE DESCENDANTS OF JEHU HINSHAW.

## ADOLPHUS HINSHAW.

ADOLPHUS HINSHAW, farmer, of Eureka, Ill., son of John and Cynthia Ann Elizabeth (Beeler) Hinshaw, was born in what is now Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, Aug. 9, 1840. He married first Louise J. Brown, July 24, 1866. She was born Oct. 8, 1840. Two children were born of this marriage, viz: Elmer Hinshaw, born Jan. 16, 1863, and Elzada (Hinshaw) Starkey, born Jan. 31, 1865. Louise J. (Brown) Hinshaw died May 20, 1870.

Adolphus Hinshaw married secondly, Nettie E. Eastman, Sept. 28, 1871. She was born Sept. 2, 1844. Their surviving children are Frank W. Hinshaw, born Oct. 21, 1875, and Nellie M. (Hinshaw) Eastman, born Oct. 17, 1879.

Adolphus Hinshaw has been an elder in the Christian church for more than thirty years.

ELMER HINSHAW, son of Adolphus and Louise J. (Brown) Hinshaw, married Nettie Reid, Jan. 1, 1885. Their children are Clarence Hinshaw, born Aug. 2, 1886; Milton Hinshaw, born Dec. 28, 1887; Myrtle (Hinshaw) Junk, born June 18, 1889; Adolphus Hinshaw (No. 2) born Jan. 18, 1891; Irene Hinshaw, born June 13, 1898; Ivy Hinshaw, born born July 13, 1900; Virgil Hinshaw, born May 25, 1902; Arthur Hinshaw, born Oct. 6, 1905, and H. William Hinshaw, born June 13, 1909.

CLARENCE HINSHAW, son of Elmer and Nettie J. (Brown) Hinshaw, married Lida Russell, Jan. 6, 1900. She was born Aug. 16, 1882. Their daughter, Chas. M. (e) Hinshaw, was born Dec. 28, 1922.

MULTON HINSHAW, son of Elmer and Nettie J. (Brown) Hinshaw, married ————— Dec. 26, 1923.

MYRTLE (HINSHAW) JUNK, daughter of Elmer and Nettie J. (Reid) Hinshaw, married Arthur Junk, Nov. 12, 1890.

ELZADA (HINSHAW) STARKEY, daughter of Adolphus and Louise J. (Brown) Hinshaw, married Norris J. Starkey, July 22, 1886.

FRANK W. HINSHAW, son of Adolphus and Nellie E. (Brown) Hinshaw, married Grace J. Gildersleeve, March 27, 1907.



She was born Nov. 11, 1879. Their children are Oscar Hinshaw, born Jan. 12, 1902; Mabel Hinshaw, born March 13, 1903; Edith Hinshaw, born Jan. 8, 1905, and Guy Hinshaw, born Oct. 6, 1907.

**NELLIE M. (HINSHAW) EASTMAN**, daughter of Adelius and Ella E. (Huston) Hinshaw, married William L. Eastman, Aug. 26, 1908. They have one child, a daughter.

### WILLIAM HINSHAW (7 W. 7 T.).

**WILLIAM HINSHAW** (7 W. 7 T.), carpenter, of Bloomington, Ill., son of Jehu and Cynthia Ann (Elizabeth) (Glover) Hinshaw, was born in what is now Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, July 31, 1842. He married Carrie Roath, daughter of Barret F. and Milly (Calhoun) Roath, May 10, 1864. She was born in Fulton County, Ill., Jan. 22, 1844. Their children who lived to maturity, were as follows: Cynthia Ann (Hinshaw) Callaway, born April 20, 1867; Ida May (Hinshaw) Phelps, (dece.), born Sept. 18, 1873; Scott Hinshaw, born March 8, 1876; Bertina Hinshaw, born Oct. 10, 1879; J. Garfield Hinshaw, born April 2, 1882, and Rolla D. Hinshaw, born April 8, 1885.

William Hinshaw (7 W. 7 T.) enlisted in Co. K, 3rd U. S. Vol. Inf. (Civil War), July 24, 1861, and was honorably discharged May 2, 1866.

**CYNTHIA ANN (HINSHAW) CALLAWAY**, daughter of William (7 W. 7 T.), and Carrie (Roath) Hinshaw, married Charles Callaway, Dec. 3, 1922. She has one son, John B., by a former marriage.

**IDA MAY (HINSHAW) PHELPS**, daughter of William (7 W. 7 T.) and Carrie (Roath) Hinshaw, married Frank M. Phelps, Nov. 27, 1892. He was born in the state of New York, in the year 1872. Their children are Milly May Phelps, born July 6, 1893; Harvey Lee Phelps, born Sept. 21, 1895, and Bertrice Phelps, born Sept. 16, 1897.

Ida May (Hinshaw) Phelps died Nov. 27, 1901, and is buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Bloomington, Ill.

**SCOTT HINSHAW**, farmer, of Chenoa, Ill., son of William (7 W. 7 T.) and Carrie (Roath) Hinshaw, married Anna Dickey, Sept. 27, 1907. She was born July 9, 1877. They have



are Lee O. Hinshaw, born Aug. 2, 1899; Edna M. Hinshaw, born May 1, 1900; Robert Hinshaw, born —, 1904 (?), and Irma E. Hinshaw, born Nov. 17, 1903.

BERT LEE HINSHAW, of Bloomington, Ill., son of William (7 W. 7 T.) and Carrie (Roath) Hinshaw, married Anna Kuse, Dec. 25, 1900. She was born Nov. 10, 1882. Their son Rolland Hinshaw, was born Aug. 17, 1902.

J. GARFIELD HINSHAW, butcher, of Bloomington, Ill., son of William (7 W. 7 T.) and Carrie (Roath) Hinshaw, married Bertha A. Wright, Dec. 10, 1904.

She was born Feb. 25, 1882. Their children are Faye Grace Hinshaw, born Nov. 22, 1905, and William A. Hinshaw, born June 27, 1906.

ROLLA D. HINSHAW, of Bloomington, Ill., son of William (7 W. 7 T.) and Carrie (Roath) Hinshaw, married Laverne C. Sarchet, Nov. 25, 1909. She was born May 4, 1889.

#### CORNELIA (HINSHAW) MCCLURE.

CORNELIA (HINSHAW) MCCLURE, daughter of Jebu and Cynthia Ann E. (Beeler) Hinshaw, was born in what is now Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, July 30, 1846. She married Thomas J. McClure, Dec. 28, 1871. Their children were Charles H. McClure, born Jan. 2, 1874; Enos J. McClure, born March 11, 1877; George E. McClure, born August 21, 1878; and Perry O. McClure, born August 25, 1880.

Cornelia (Hinshaw) McClure, died May 12, 1904, and is buried in East White Oak Cemetery, Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois.

Thomas J. McClure, died Nov. 15, 1910.

#### ELLEN (HINSHAW) BERRY.

ELLEN (HINSHAW) BERRY, of Nevada, Mo., daughter of Jebu and Cynthia Ann Elizabeth (Beeler) Hinshaw, was born in Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, Jan. 21, 1851. She married James H. Berry, Sept. 20, 1875. Their children are Eva E. (Berry) Baker, born Jan. 17, 1877; Thomas J. Berry, born Aug. 31, 1871; John H. Berry, born May



5, 1874; Lydia A. Berry, born April 1, 1879, and Lee E. Berry, born June 17, 1881.

EVAN E. (BERRY) BAKER, daughter of James H. and Ellen (Hinshaw) Berry, married W. T. Baker, July 7, 1890. Their children are Chester F. Baker, born July 1, 1892; Rosalie C. Baker, born March 22, 1892; Everett W. Baker, born July 21, 1893; Lorene J. Baker, born April 15, 1895; Ezra L. Baker, born April 27, 1896; Laura M. Baker, born July 23, 1898, and Lena M. and Lettie M. Baker, born Sept. 19, 1900.

THOMAS J. BERRY, son of James H. and Ellen (Hinshaw) Berry, married Nettie Conner, Sept. 2, 1894. She was born June 30, 1875. Their surviving children are Della M. Berry, born June 20, 1897, and Thomas J. V. Berry, born Dec. 11, 1906.

JOHN H. BERRY, son of James H. and Ellen (Hinshaw) Berry, married Ida J. Smith, Feb. 12, 1902. She was born in Bates County, Missouri, July 7, 1873.

LYDIA ANN (BERRY) BROWN, daughter of James H. and Ellen (Hinshaw) Berry, married Addison Brown, an attorney, of Springfield, Mo., Dec. 22, 1910.

#### LEVI HINSHAW.

LEVI HINSHAW, farmer of Hudson, Ill., son of John and Cynthia Ann Elizabeth (Beecher) Hinshaw, was born in Keppel Township, Woodford County, Illinois, March 15, 1851. He married Mary E. Beck, March 16, 1872. She was born March 31, 1853. Their surviving children were as follows: John Hinshaw (No. 2), born Feb. 15, 1873; Levi Hinshaw, born Feb. 10, 1877; Roy Hinshaw, born Dec. 8, 1880; Lula T. Hinshaw, born April 21, 1887; Daniel Hinshaw, born Dec. 9, 1888, and Lee S. Hinshaw, born Dec. 18, 1891.

#### ALONZO HINSHAW.

ALONZO HINSHAW, farmer, of Wilson, Kans., son of John and Cynthia Ann Elizabeth (Beecher) Hinshaw, was born in Keppel Township, Woodford County, Illinois, March 12, 1857. He married America Olive Biggar, born Dec. 2, 1862.





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born Jan. 20, 1860. Their children are Lewis E. Hinshaw, born May 3, 1882; Earl C. Hinshaw, born Jan. 12, 1887; Elsey M. Hinshaw (Mrs. Walter H. Newfarmer), born Jan. 13, 1889; Margaret F. Hinshaw (Mrs. Bryant O. Vining), born March 23, 1890, and Nellie R. Hinshaw, born April 7, 1895.

#### GEORGE W. HINSHAW (NO. 2).

GEORGE W. HINSHAW (No. 2), son of John and Mary Ann (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, March 9, 1867. He married Rebecca L. Healey, Dec. 31, 1891. She was born in Mifflin County, Pennsylvania, Sept. 6, 1866. Their children are Ethel Hinshaw, born March 6, 1895, Esther Hinshaw, born March 6, 1897, and G. Melvin Hinshaw, born Oct. 4, 1899.

#### EMMA (HINSHAW) BEENY.

EMMA (HINSHAW) BEENY, of Nevada, Mo., daughter of John and Mary Ann (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, ——, 1869. She married James H. Beeny, ——, 1894. He was born in McLean County, Illinois, ——, 1870. Their surviving children are Edna L. Beeny, born ——, 1897, and Louis H. Beeny, born ——, 1899.

#### GRANT HINSHAW.

GRANT HINSHAW, son of John and Mary Ann (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Kansas Township, Woodford County, Illinois, Mar. 7, 1864. He married Mrs. Lydia Collier, daughter of Luke and Amanda M. (Adams) Lucas, in McLean County, Illinois, Oct. 9, 1884. He is now in the U. S. navy, in service and resides at St. Paul, Minn.

#### GEORGE HINSHAW, JR.

GEORGE HINSHAW, JR., son of George Hinshaw, Sr., and Sannah (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born on a farm two miles from the town of Monroe, the county seat of Jefferson County, Tennessee, Dec. 26, 1820. He came with his parents



ent's family to McLean County, Illinois, in the spring of the year 1827. He went to school during the famous "winter of the deep snow" (1830-31), and spent his Saturday in husking and shelling corn by hand, and pounding it into meal with a wooden mortar and pestle.

Mr. Hinshaw did his share of hunting wild animals, especially wolves, which were a common pest.

He had one trying experience when he was going to mill with an ox team and was overtaken by a prairie fire. He tried to drive his oxen through it, but they refused to face the flames and turned and ran away in spite of all his efforts. At last he saw a place where a part of the fire had gone faster than the rest, leaving a gap in the road. He succeeded in guiding his oxen into this gap, and finally got safely through.

The year 1844 was a very wet season. During that year, Mr. Hinshaw drove a herd of cattle from his farm to Milwaukee, Wis. He swam creeks and rivers of all kinds and sizes. He was delayed at the Kankakee fifteen days. He frequently drove his cattle into the river, but when they reached the swift current, they turned back to the shore from which they had started.

Finally one very tall ox touched the bottom of the stream, went across, and the rest followed. Mr. Hinshaw lived nearly all his life upon his farm in Section 8, Bloomington Township, McLean County, Illinois.

He married Polly M. Toliver, daughter of Iwys and Elizabeth (Maxwell) Toliver, July 1, 1848. She was born Dec. 21, 1828. Ten children were born of this marriage, of whom four survived, viz: Ida M. Hinshaw (Mrs. W. M. Darwin Hull), born Jan. 1, 1857; Fannie Hinshaw (Mrs. W. T.), born July 11, 1862; Toby Hinshaw, born April 16, 1865, and Rolla Hinshaw, born Aug. 21, 1867.

George Hinshaw, Jr., died June 27, 1874, and is buried in Sequin's Cemetery, Bloomington Township, McLean County, Illinois.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF GEORGE HINSHAW, JR.

IDA M. (HINSHAW) HULL, daughter of George, Jr., and Polly



M. (Toliver) Hinshaw, married Dr. M. Darwin Hull, May 17, 1877. He was born Sept. 20, 1851. Their only surviving child is Ina Maurine (Hull) Rust, born Oct. 14, 1881.

**Tony Hinshaw**, son of George, Jr., and Polly M. (Toliver) Hinshaw, married Carrie Ensinger, Feb. 21, 1875. She was born July 12, 1870. Their children are Darwin Hinshaw, born Jan. 3, 1896; Polly Hinshaw, born Oct. 1, 1897; Susan Hinshaw, born May 22, 1899, and Caroline Hinshaw, born Nov. 30, 1902.

**ROLLA HINSHAW**, son of George, Jr., and Polly M. (Toliver) Hinshaw, married Mary Knight, Jan. 15, 1879. She was born Oct. 7, 1872. Their children are George H. Hinshaw, born Jan. 13, 1891; Deme Hinshaw, born Dec. 1, 1892, and Narda Hinshaw, born March 17, 1894.

**EZRA HINSHAW** (4 W. 2 T.), son of George, Jr., and Polly M. (Toliver) Hinshaw, is not married.

### BENJAMIN HINSHAW (1 W. 2 T.)

**BENJAMIN HINSHAW** (1 W. 2 T.), son of William (1 W.), and Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, married ——. They were the parents of twin daughters, viz: Penina (Hinshaw) Webb, who married Stephen Webb, Sr., in Tennessee, Dec. 10, 1824, and Penira (Hinshaw) Benson, who married John Benson, Jr., in the year 1830.

Some of the Descendants of Benjamin Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.):

### PENINA (HINSHAW) WEBB.

**PENINA (HINSHAW) Webb**, daughter of Benjamin (1 W. 2 T.), and —— (—) Hinshaw, was born in North Carolina, June 18, 1808. She married Stephen Webb, son of William (Sr.), and Nancy (Huntington) Webb, in Warren County, Tennessee, Dec. 10, 1824. He was born in Burke County, North Carolina, May 8, 1797. They located in what is now McLean County, Illinois, in the year 1827. Their children who lived to maturity were as follows: John Webb, (who died in Warren County, Iowa); S. M. Webb, (who died also in Warren County, Iowa); and William



Webb (3rd), who died in McLean County, Illinois; Benjamin Webb, (who died also in McLean County, Illinois); Thomas Webb, (of Dale County, Missouri); and Nalton Webb, who was born in the year 1834, and died in McLean County, Illinois, April 4, 1870. Stephen Webb died in McLean County, Illinois, April 13, 1886. Penina (Hinshaw) Webb, his wife, died Sept. 28, 1871.

### PENINA (HINSHAW) BENSON.

PENINA (HINSHAW) BENSON, daughter of Benjamin (1 W. 2 T.), and \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) Hinshaw, was born in North Carolina (?) June 18, 1808. She married John Benson, Jr., son of John Benson, Sr., and Sally (Mackie) Benson in the year 1830. He was born in Gibson County, Indiana, Oct. 12, 1807, and settled in what is now McLean County, Illinois, in the year 1823. Their children were Mary M. (Benson) Arnold, of Eureka, Ill.; Robert M. Benson, (Enlisted in Co. C, 33rd Ill. Vol. Inf., Civil War Aug. 14, 1862. Was discharged on account of wounds Aug. 18, 1863); Philip Y. Benson, (Enlisted in Co. C, 3rd Ill. Vol. Inf., Civil War Aug. 15, 1861. Was discharged Aug. 11, 1864); Penina Ann (Benson) Conger, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Sarah (Benson) Brown; Lydia E. (Benson) Smales, (who died July 2, 1873); Addie Benson; Lucy V. (Benson) Smales, and Emmett L. Benson.

(For further information concerning these families, see Duis' "Good Old Times in McLean County," p. 579 and 831).

### JACOB HINSHAW (1 W. 2 T.).

JACOB HINSHAW (1 W. 2 T.), son of William (1 W.) and Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, Jan. 5, 1784. He married Mary Johnson in Tennessee, Aug. 25, 1812. She was born Nov. 15, 1794. They came to Illinois along with George Hinshaw, Sr., Stephen Webb, Sr., and William McCord and their families in the year 1827. Jacob Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.) purchased land of 80 acres upon the W. 1/2, S. E. 1/4, Sec. 28, T. 24 N., R. 1 E., McLean Co. (80 acres), April 21, 1830. (See General Index, Vol. 1, No. 1, McLean County, Illinois, Deed Record's 1-26, 1830-1831).



situated in what is now Dry Grove Township, McLean County, Illinois. Mr. Hinshaw sold all the pack but one cow and one horse in order to raise money enough to pay for his land. He also entered the W. 1/2 S. E. 1/4, Sec. 20, T. 24 N., R. 1 E., 3rd P. M., Oct. 1, 1833.

Mr. Hinshaw was deformed in his feet and while camping in the timber stood on his knees, and often walked in this way behind the plow.

It is said of him that he could not bear the taste or even the smell of whiskey, and that he never ate any kind of meat except fish. Jacob (1 W. 2 T.) and Mary (Johnson) Hinshaw were the parents of eight children, born as follows, viz: Sesannah (Mrs. Asasa Stout), born May 20, 1813; Nancy J. (Mrs. Jesse M. Benson, Sr.), born April 27, 1820; Mary, (Mrs. Solomon Mason, of Linn County, Kansas), born Feb. 4, 1822; Jane G. (Mrs. Amos Mason, of Newhorn, Iowa), born Nov. 25, 1824; Benjamin Hinshaw (1 W. 3 T.), of Linn County, Kansas, born Nov. 23, 1826; Cyrus Hinshaw (2 W.), born May 26, 1829, and Robert Hinshaw, born March 4, 1832.

Jacob Hinshaw (1 W. 2 T.) died Oct. 24, 1841.

Mary (Johnson) Hinshaw, his wife, died July 18, 1869. Their remains are buried in West Twin Grove Cemetery, Dry Grove Township, McLean County, Illinois.

#### THE DESCENDANTS OF JACOB HINSHAW (1 W. 2 T.).

NANCY J. (HINSHAW) BENSON, daughter of Jacob (1 W. 2 T.) and Mary (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Overton County, Tennessee, June 2, 1818, and was brought up Dennis by her parents in the year 1827. She married Jesse M. Benson, Sr., a farmer, in McLean County, Illinois, Jan. 10, 1838. Their children were as follows: William H. Benson, born 1840, enlisted in Co. G, 47th Ill. Vol. Inf., died at Vicksburg, May 25, 1863, and died May 19, 1872, of consumption, during the battle of Shiloh; Melinda (Ferguson) Benson, born 1842; Sylvester Benson, born 1844; John M. Benson, born 1847, died 1862; and Jesse M. Benson, Jr., born 1848.

Nancy J. (Hinshaw) Benson died at Marion, McLean County, Illinois, Jan. 14, 1910.



Jesse M. Benson, Sr., her husband, died ——, 1871. Their remains are buried in the Benson Cemetery, White Oak Township, McLean County, Illinois.

### GEORGE M. HINSHAW.

GEORGE M. HINSHAW, farmer, son of Jacob (1 W. 2 T.) and Mary (Johnson) Hinshaw, was born in Overton County, Tennessee, April 25, 1820. He was brought to Illinois by his parents in the year 1827. He married Martha A. Ward, Nov. 20, 1844. She was born Sept. 20, 1823. Their surviving children were Lenora (Hinshaw) Wilkins, born Aug. 20, 1845, (died Jan. 30, 1867); Emma (Hinshaw) Wyatt, born Feb. 1, 1847; Laura (Hinshaw) Johnson, born Dec. 16, 1848, (died 1901); Orlando Hinshaw, born March 5, 1852; Fernando Hinshaw, born July 11, 1855; Ernest C. Hinshaw, born June 13, 1864, and Vesta (Hinshaw) Deal, born Sept. 28, 1868.

George M. Hinshaw entered the S. W. 1/4 S. W. 1/4, Sec. 32, T. 24 N., R. 1 E. 3rd P. M., June 6, 1845.

George M. Hinshaw died Sept. 18, 1893.

### THE DESCENDANTS OF GEORGE M. HINSHAW.

LENOA (HINSHAW) WILKINS (dec.), daughter of George M. and Martha A. (Ward) Hinshaw, married John R. Wilkins, May 31, 1863. Their son, J. Leston Wilkins, farmer, of McLean County, Ill., was born May 28, 1865.

Lenora (Hinshaw) Wilkins died Jan. 30, 1867.

J. LESTON WILKINS, son of John R. and Lenora (Hinshaw) Wilkins, married Josie Hart, Feb. 21, 1890. Their son, Deane Wilkins, was born Dec. 4, 1900.

EMMA (HINSHAW) WYATT, of Bloomington, Illinois, daughter of George M. and Martha A. (Ward) Hinshaw, married John L. Wyatt, Aug. 21, 1864.

LAURA (HINSHAW) JOHNSON (dec.), daughter of George M. and Martha A. (Ward) Hinshaw, married W. H. Johnson, Dec. 20, 1876. Their children were Anna (Johnson) Goss, born May 3, 1872, and George K. Johnson, born Dec. 25, 1876.



ANNA (JOHNSON) GARST, of Downs, Ill., daughter of Eli H. and Laura (Hinshaw) Johnson, married S. P. C. Garst, Aug. 31, 1893. Their children are Mary Elsie Garst, born Dec. 13, 1904, and Thornton Hinshaw Garst, born Dec. 6, 1900.

GEORGE K. JOHNSON, lumber merchant of Rocky Ford, Colo., son of Eli H. and Laura (Hinshaw) Johnson, married Martha Fleetwood, Dec. 25, 1901. Their daughter, Geraldine Johnson, was born Jan. 28, 1907.

ORLANDO HINSHAW, forest, of Bloomington, Ill., son of George M. and Martha M. (Ward) Hinshaw, married Sarah Fleetwood, Sept. 14, 1876. Their children are as follows: Grace (Hinshaw) Rood, born Feb. 1, 1881; Wayne R. Hinshaw, born July 9, 1883, and Charles Hinshaw (No. 2), born Dec. 27, 1892.

GRACE HINSHAW Roop, of Hillsboro, Ore., daughter of Orlando and Sarah (Fleetwood) Hinshaw, married Thomas R. L. Oct. 20, 1909. Their son, Glenn F. Rood, was born July 25, 1910.

WAYNE R. HINSHAW, lumber merchant, of Orifway, Colo., son of Orlando and Sarah (Fleetwood) Hinshaw, married Eddie Lacey, April 12, 1903. Their children are as follows: Bernadine Hinshaw, born Aug. 12, 1905; George Hinshaw (No. 3), born April 12, 1907; Max Hinshaw, born May 21, 1909, and Harold Hinshaw, born Dec. 11, 1911.

CHARLES HINSHAW (No. 2), son of Orlando and Sarah (Fleetwood) Hinshaw, is a salesman with C. W. Kleinmunt, Bloomington, Ill.

FERNAND HINSHAW, rural mail carrier on R. R. D. No. 2, Bloomington, Ill., son of George M. and Martha M. (Ward) Hinshaw, married Martha Wilson, Jan. 1, 1900. Their children are Lloyd Hinshaw, born April 7, 1902, and Sam Hinshaw, born April 23, 1908.

FLOYD HINSHAW, (with Frederick Nelson), City abstract agent, Bloomington, Ill., son of Fernand and Martha Wilson Hinshaw, married Nellie Stevenson, April 14, 1908.

RAY HINSHAW, son of Fernand and Martha Wilson Hinshaw, is a salesman with C. W. Kleinmunt, Bloomington, Ill.

ERNEST C. HINSHAW, farmer, of Danvers, Ill., son of George



M. and Martha M. (Ward) Hinshaw, married Emma E. Garst, March 24, 1908.

VITULA (HINSHAW) DEAL, of Rocky Ford, Col., daughter of George M. and Martha M. (Ward) Hinshaw, married William N. Deal, Aug. 17, 1885. Their children are Claude E. Deal, born Nov. 24, 1886, and Ino (Deal) Lane, born Oct. 22, 1887.

CLAUDE E. DEAL, of Ordway, Col., son of William N. and Vitula (Hinshaw) Deal, married Nellie Gray, Aug. —, 1910. Their son, Elvis P. Deal, was born ——, 1910.

INO (DEAL) LANE, of Rocky Ford, Col., daughter of William N. and Vitula (Hinshaw) Deal, married Walter Lane, Feb. 10, 1907. Their children are Carl Lane, born Nov. 12, 1908, and Helen Lane, born March 8, 1910.

#### CYRUS HINSHAW (2 W.)

CYRUS HINSHAW (2 W.), son of Jacob (1 W.) 2 T., and Mary (Johnson) Hinshaw, married Artemissa M. E. Wilson May 16, 1852. Their son, Cyrus M. Hinshaw, was born in McLean County, Illinois, April 14, 1853.

CYRUS M. HINSHAW, farmer, of Lake County, California, son of Cyrus and Artemissa M. E. (Wilson) Hinshaw, married Amy Ellen Brown, Fe'y. 22, 1874. She was born also in McLean County, Illinois, March 20, 1856. Their children are Eva M. (Hinshaw) Beers, born in Cowley County, Kansas, Dec. 11, 1875; L. A. Hinshaw, married Mary, also in Cowley County, Kansas, Oct. 28, 1879; and Fred M. Hinshaw, born in Humboldt County, California, Nov. 17, 1890.

EVA M. (HINSHAW) BEERS, daughter of Cyrus M. and Amy Ellen (Brown) Hinshaw, married Curtis Beers, Sept. 23, 1906.

L. A. HINSHAW, son of Cyrus M. and Amy Ellen (Brown) Hinshaw, married Alta Taylor, June 27, 1907.

#### MARY HINSHAW HADLEY (Twin Sister of Bessie)

MARY (HINSHAW) HADLEY, daughter of William T. and Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, was born in Rockford, Illinois



No. 1, and No. 2, were born in 1813. The two twin daughters, Mary (Hinshaw) Hadley, and her twin children were: George, Zeno, and John Hadley. (No. 2), Riley Hadley, Josephine Hadley, Rebecca Hadley, Julia Hadley, Mary Hadley, Ruth Hadley, and Deborah Hadley.

Mary (Hinshaw) Hadley died near Keokuk, Lee County, Iowa.

#### REBECCA (HINSHAW) HADLEY, (Twin Sister of Mary.)

REBECCA (HINSHAW) Hadley, daughter of William C. W. and Mary (Hinshaw) Hinshaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, about the year 1788. She married Josiah Hadley (No. 1) about the year 1810. Their children were: Zeno Hadley, Nathan Hadley, Job Hadley, Addison Hadley, Mordecai Hadley, Mary Hadley, Susannah Hadley, Asa Hadley, Ruth Hadley and Esther Hadley.

Rebecca (Hinshaw) Hadley was a prominent member of the Society of Friends. She and her son, Addison Hadley, donated 110 acres of land and a large sum of money to the W. C. T. U. with which the "Hadley Industrial School for Girls" at Danville, Indiana, was founded. (From information furnished by David Hadley, of Durville, Indiana, son of Nathan Hadley, and grandson of Rebecca (Hinshaw) Hadley.)

#### BENJAMIN HINSHAW (1.V.)

BENJAMIN HINSHAW (1.V.), son of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_ Hinshaw, was born in Surry County, North Carolina. He married Sarah Vestal, about the year 1823. She was born also in Surry County, North Carolina. Their children were: Thomas Hinshaw (1.V.), born 1825, (died 1884); Maria Hinshaw (1.V.), born 1827, (died 1884); Martin Hinshaw, born 1831, (died 1871); Jessie Hinshaw (1.V.), born 1833, (died 1872); Diana (Hinshaw) Johnson, born 1835—Hinshaw, born 1836—Hannah (Hinshaw) Stott, born 1838—(died in Jackson County, Missouri); and Anna (Hinshaw) Lawson, (died also in Jackson County, Missouri).



Benjamin Hinshaw (1 V.) died in Jackson County, Missouri. Sarah (Vestal) Hinshaw, his wife, died in Cass County, Missouri.

### NATHAN HINSHAW (1 V.).

NATHAN HINSHAW (1 V.), farmer, of Cass County, Missouri, son of Benjamin (1 V.) and Sarah (Vestal) Hinshaw, married Mary G. Sloan, 6, 10, 1848. She was born in Reno, Kan., 6, 9, 1832. Their children were all born in Cass County, Missouri, as follows: Thomas N. Hinshaw, farmer, born 7, 25, 1850, (died in Jackson County, Kansas, 3, 28, 1904); William H. Hinshaw, banker, of Reno, Kan., born 11, 6, 1857; Martha A. (Hinshaw) Holcomb, born 1, 17, 1856; Dr. Theophilus E. Hinshaw, born 11, 1, 1858; Jeremiah N. Hinshaw, banker, of Reno, Kan., born 12, 21, 1861; Sarah L. (Hinshaw) Henderson, of Stafford, Kansas, born 9, 5, 1864; Mary G. (Hinshaw) Webster, a son of Stafford, Kansas, born 12, 15, 1866; Little M. (Hinshaw) Parker, of Stafford, Kansas, born 1, 15, 1870, and Emma M. Hinshaw, merchant, of Reno, Kansas, born 8, 11, 1872.

NATHAN HINSHAW (1 V.) died in Cass County, Missouri, in the year 1882.

Mary G. (Sloan) Hinshaw, his wife, died in Jackson County, Missouri, 2, 27, 1907.

### THE DESCENDANTS OF NATHAN HINSHAW (1 V.).

#### THOMAS N. HINSHAW.

THOMAS N. HINSHAW, son of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary G. (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Martha Holcomb, in the year 1870. Their children are William N. Hinshaw, born 1871; Luther E. Hinshaw, born 1874; Nathan S. Hinshaw, born 1876; Robert E. Hinshaw, born 1880; Leona D. (Holcomb) Howell, born 1884, and Lena M. (Hinshaw) Parker, born 1888.

WILLIAM N. HINSHAW, son of Thomas N. and Martha (Holcomb) Hinshaw, married Leona A. Parker, in the year 1900. Their children are Helen A. born 1902; Ruth A. born 1904, and Dorothy F. born 1907.



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LUTHER E. HINSHAW, son of Thomas N. and Martha (Holcomb) Hinshaw, married Mary E. McDonald, in the year 1902. Their daughter, Anna M., was born in the year 1905.

NATHAN S. HINSHAW, son of Thomas N. and Martha (Holcomb) Hinshaw, married Bertha Colborn in the year 1904.

ROBERT E. HINSHAW, son of Thomas N. and Martha (Holcomb) Hinshaw, married Lena F. Dixon, in the year 1902. Their children are Thomas E., born 1903, and Dorothy M., born 1907.

LEOLA D. (HINSHAW) HOWELL, daughter of Thomas N. and Martha (Holcomb) Hinshaw, married William A. Howell, in the year 1907. Their son, Alvin Hinshaw, was born in the year 1909.

LENA M. (HINSHAW) PARKER, daughter of Thomas N. and Martha (Holcomb) Hinshaw, married Elroy R. Parker, in the year 1907.

### WILLIAM H. HINSHAW AND DESCENDANTS.

WILLIAM H. HINSHAW, of Sylvia, Kan., son of Nathan (1) H. and Mary G. (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Elizabeth (Hoed) Hinshaw, in the year 1872. Their children are Valry M. (Hoed) Heylman, born 1874, and Orson G. Hinshaw, born 1876.

FAIRY G. (HINSHAW) HEYLMAN, daughter of William H. and Elizabeth (Hoed) Hinshaw, married Dr. Lester H. Heylman, in the year 1900.

OPRONA G. HINSHAW, son of William H. and Mary G. (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Lorena Ritter, in the year 1901. Their children are Martine, born 1902, and Odilia, born 1904.

### MARTHA A. (HINSHAW) HOLCOMB.

MARTHA A. (HINSHAW) HOLCOMB, daughter of Nathan (1) H. and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Thomas J. Holcomb, in the year 1879. Their children are Mary K. (Holcomb) Newton, born 1871; Thomas W. Holcomb, born 1873; Thomas Phillips Holcomb, born 1877; Lester Holcomb, born 1881; Henry Holcomb, born 1882; and Clarence Holcomb, born 1888.



MARY K. (HOLCOMB) NEWTON, daughter of Thomas J. and Martha A. (Hipshaw) Holcomb, married Frank L. Newton, in the year 1882. Their children are Arthur, May, ~~Harold~~, and Elvie.

THOMAS W. HOLCOMB, son of Thomas J. and Mary K. (Hipshaw) Holcomb, married Stella Doyle, in the year 1902. Their children are Thomas J., born 1903, and ~~Walter~~, born 1909.

LESTER HOLCOMB, son of Thomas J. and Martha A. (Hipshaw) Holcomb, married Dollie Seward, in the year 1891. Their children are Madge, Marie, and ——.

#### DR. THEOPHILUS E. HINSHAW.

Dr. THEOPHILUS E. HINSHAW, physician, of Winfield, Cowley County, Kansas, son of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Anna P. Wilkinson, 11, 22, 1883. She was born in Cowley County, Kansas, 1, 22, 1857. Their children were born as follows, viz: Mary A. Hinshaw, born in Lafayette County Missouri, 7, 25, 1885; William H. Hinshaw, born in Reno, Kan., 6, 18, 1887; Thomas J. Hinshaw, born in Reno, Kan., 7, 8, 1891; Anna C. Hinshaw, born in Reno, Kansas, 8, 26, 1894, and Charles T. Hinshaw, born in Cowley County Kansas, 10, 6, 1890.

#### JEREMIAH N. HINSHAW.

JEREMIAH N. HINSHAW, of Plevna, Kan., son of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Floss Bird in the year 1883. Their children are Lawrence Hinshaw, born 1884, (married —— Davis, 1900), and Lloyd Hinshaw, born 1888.

#### SARAH L. (HINSHAW) HENDERSON.

SARAH L. (HINSHAW) HENDERSON, of Stafford, Kan., daughter of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married James H. Henderson, in the year 1888. Their children are Carrie (Henderson) Allen, born 1891, (married Charles C. Allen); Minnie E. (Henderson) Davis, born 1893, (married



Lee Davis, 1905); Grace (Henderson) Irwin, born 1888; Jennie L. (Henderson) Mershon, born 1887; Mary Henderson, born 1890; and Lottie Henderson, born 1892.

GRACE (HENDERSON) IRWIN, daughter of James H. and Sarah L. (Hinshaw) Henderson, married Roy Irwin. Their children are Ethel, born 1903, and George J., born 1905.

JENNIE L. (HENDERSON) MERSHON, daughter of James H. and Sarah L. (Hinshaw) Henderson, married Robert C. Mershon, in the year 1905. Their son, Harry E., was born 1907.

#### MARY G. (HINSHAW) WEBSTER.

MARY G. (HINSHAW) WEBSTER, of Plevna, Kan., daughter of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Robert W. Webster, in the year 1883. Their children are Albert, born 1884, (married Emma Stockman, 1908); Nira, born 1890, and Ruth, born 1892.

#### LILLIE M. (HINSHAW) PRATER.

LILLIE M. (HINSHAW) PRATER, of Stafford, Kan., daughter of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married John Prater. Their children are Mabel, born 1871, (married ——Lee, 1906); Wallace, born 1874, and Deryl, born 189—.

#### EMMETT W. HINSHAW.

EMMETT W. HINSHAW, of Plevna, Kan., son of Nathan (1 V.) and Mary (Sloan) Hinshaw, married Ada Denton, in the year 1890. Their surviving children are Lee, N. Hinshaw, born 1891; Blanche Hinshaw, born 1895; Nathan Hinshaw (2 V.), born 1897; Edith Hinshaw, born 1898, and Ada Hinshaw, born 1908.

#### JESSE H. HINSHAW.

JESSE H. HINSHAW, son of Benjamin (1 V.) and Sarah (Mental) Hinshaw, married Sallie Rump, 1879. Their children were Mary (Hinshaw) Aldridge, wife of Richard Aldridge, of Strasburg, Mo.; Martha (Hinshaw) Caldwell, wife of James



Caldwell; Belle (Hinshaw) Ketchum; Lizzie (Hinshaw) Oldham, and John M. Hinshaw, of Chicago, Illinois.

HANNAH (HINSHAW) DODD, daughter of Benjamin (1. A.) and Sarah (Vestal) Hinshaw, had a daughter named Susan, born 1857.

DIANA (HINSHAW) JOHNSON, daughter of Benjamin (1. A.) and Sarah (Vestal) Hinshaw, had two sons, viz: Nathan and Charles.

MATILDA (HINSHAW) SHELTON, daughter of Benjamin (1. A.) and Sarah (Vestal) Hinshaw, had a son named Andrew.

#### ABSAJOM HINSHAW (1. A.), (or 1. T.) (5)

ABSAJOM HINSHAW (1. A.), son of —— and —— Hinshaw, was born in Ireland about the year 1765. He emigrated to America and settled in North Carolina. He married Elizabeth (?) ——. Their children were Stephen Hinshaw, born in Randolph County, North Carolina, 6, 27, 1797; John Hinshaw, (1. A.); Jacob Hinshaw, (1. A.); Thomas Hinshaw (1. A.); Alon Hinshaw; Joseph Hinshaw, (1. A.); Elizabeth (Hinshaw) Cox; Reuben (Hinshaw) Macon; Ann (Hinshaw) Upton, and Vivian Hinshaw.

#### STEPHEN HINSHAW (1. A.).

STEPHEN HINSHAW (1. A.), farmer, son of Absalom (1. A.) and Elizabeth (?) —— Hinshaw, was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, 6, 27, 1797. He married Emma Davis about the year 1822. She was born also in Randolph County, North Carolina, 5, 6, 1804. Their children were born as follows, viz: Asenath (Hinshaw) Cox, born 5, 3, 1824; Abigail (Hinshaw) Cox, born 1, 9, 1826; Jacob (Hinshaw) Cox, born 7, 3, 1828; Thomas Hinshaw, (1. A.), born 9, 3, 1831; Jacob Hinshaw, (2. A.), born 1, 22, 1833; Ruth (Hinshaw) Barber, born 11, 21, 1835; Alon (Hinshaw), born 1, 22, 1839; Hannah (Hinshaw) Thompson, born 1, 21, 1842; Elizabeth (Hinshaw) Stout, born 1, 21, 1845, and Margaret (Hinshaw) Barber, born 9, 2, 1847.



Stephen Hinshaw (1 A.) died in North Carolina, 2, 21, 1877. Hannah (Davis) Hinshaw, his wife, (10) also in North Carolina.

JACOB HINSHAW (2 A.).

JACOB HINSHAW (2 A.) farmer, of Sheridan, Hamilton County, Indiana, son of Stephen (1 A.) and Hannah (Doris) Hinshaw, married first Elizabeth Barber, 10, 12, 1859. She was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, 9, 25, 1836. Their children were born as follows, viz.: William H. Hinshaw, of Durant, Okla., born in North Carolina, 10, 23, 1860; married Mollie E. Hunningcutt, 6, 9, 1884; Seth J. Hinshaw, born in North Carolina, 7, 28, 1862; Hanny M. Hinshaw, Hetherington, born in Indiana, 11, 7, 1865; Stephen A. Hinshaw, born in Indiana, 10, 7, 1868; Mary E. (Mrs. Charles) Cobb, born in Indiana, 9, 5, 1870; Lewis E. Hinshaw, born in Indiana, 9, 17, 1873; Anna M. (Hinshaw) Moore, born in Indiana, 9, 5, 1875; Irvin Hinshaw, born 8, 19, 1877; and R. Virgil Hinshaw, born in Indiana 2, 4, 1877.

JOHN TUNSHAW (1853).



## BENJAMIN H. HINSHAW.

BENJAMIN H. HINSHAW, farmer and cabinet maker, son of John (1 P.), and Susan (Pike) Hinshaw, married Annis (Bowman) Hinshaw, about the year 1806. She was born in Randolph County, North Carolina, in the year 1790. Their children were all born in Randolph County, North Carolina, as follows, viz: John Hinshaw (3 P.), born 1807; William Hinshaw (1 P.), born 1809; Susanna (Hinshaw) Fentress, born 1811, (died at Osceola, Neb., Feb., 1910); June Hinshaw (2 P.), born 1813; Edmund Hinshaw, born 1815; Anne (Hinshaw) Cox, born 1817; Benjamin H. Hinshaw, born 1819; Seth Hinshaw, born 1821; Cyrus Hinshaw (1 P.), born 1824; David L. Hinshaw, born 9-2, 1826; Miltie (Hinshaw) ——, born 1828, and Elias Hinshaw, born 1830.

All of the children of Benjamin H. and Annis (Bowman) Hinshaw, except Susan (Hinshaw) Fentress, died in Carolina at advanced ages.

Annis (Bowman) Hinshaw died in Randolph County, North Carolina, in the year 1865.

Benjamin Hinshaw (1 P.), died in Randolph County, North Carolina, in the year 1866.

## DAVID L. HINSHAW.

DAVID L. HINSHAW, farmer, son of Benjamin (1 P.) and Annis (Bowman) Hinshaw, married Emeline Isgrigg, ——, 1834. She was born in Ripley County, Indiana, 2-11, 1828. Their children were all born in Henry County, Indiana, as follows, viz: Luther L. Hinshaw, born 9-2, 1855; Warren Hinshaw, born 11-28, 1863, and Hon. Edmund H. Hinshaw, (M. C.), born Dec. 8, 1860.

David L. Hinshaw died in Henry County, Indiana, 5-6, 1900.

## HON. EDMUND H. HINSHAW, M. C.

HON. EDMUND H. HINSHAW, M. C., attorney, of Bellevue, Jefferson County, Nebraska, son of David L. and Emeline (Isgrigg) Hinshaw, married Ida Cooper, Sept. 17, 1885.







She was born in Jefferson County, Nebraska, Sept. 10, 1858. Their son, Howard R. Hinshaw, attorney, was born in Jefferson County, Nebraska, Sept. 24, 1882.

We present herewith the following autobiographical sketch of Hon. Edmund H. Hinshaw, as written by him, June 22, 1911:

"I represented the Fourth Congressional District of Nebraska from March 4, 1903, to March 4, 1911. I was first elected (to the U. S. House of Representatives) in November, 1902.

"I was prosecuting attorney of Jefferson county, Nebraska, for two terms of two years each, from Jan. 1, 1895, to Jan. 1, 1899.

"I served nine years on the school board of Fairbury, Neb. \* \* \*

"I was born at Greensboro, Indiana, Dec. 8, 1860, graduated at Butler University, Indianapolis, 1885. A. B. taught school from the time I was sixteen to twenty-six years of age, (taught the last years at Fairbury, Neb., in 1887 and 1888, and was admitted to the bar in 1888, and began the practice of law there.) \* \* \*

#### WARREN HINSHAW.

WARREN HINSHAW, farmer, of New Castle, Indiana, son of David L. and Emeline (Isgrigg) Hinshaw, married Della Kenward, ——, 1893. She was born in Henry County, Indiana, ——, 1859.

#### ELIAS HINSHAW

ELIAS HINSHAW, son of Benjamin H. and Annis (Danner) Hinshaw, married —— Hall. They had five sons, among whom are Charles H. Hinshaw, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Earl C. Hinshaw, and two daughters.

#### JAMES (?) HINSHAW, (1 Ja.).

JAMES (OR WILLIAM ?) HINSHAW (1 Ja.), son of —— and —— (—) Hinshaw, married ——. Their children were



James Hinshaw (2 Ja.), born in North Carolina, in the year 1791; William Hinshaw (1 Ja.); John Hinsalw, (1 Ja.); Carrel Hinshaw (1 Ja.); Jacob Hinshaw (1 Ja.); and Hugh Hinshaw, (1 Ja.).

### JAMES HINSHAW, (2 Ja.).

JAMES HINSHAW, (2 Ja.), farmer, son of James (?) and —— (—) Hinshaw, was born in North Carolina in the year 1791. He married Nellie Robertson (or Robinson ?), in the year 1816. She was born also in North Carolina, in the year 1794. Ten children were born of this marriage, viz: seven born in McMurry County, Tennessee, and three born in Williamson County, Illinois, as follows, viz: Hugh (2 Ja.), born 1818, (died 1903); Sarah, born 1820, (died 1860); Rebecca, born 1823, (died 1866); Caroline, born 1826, (died 1877); Carrel (2 Ja.), born 1830; James (3 Ja.), born 1834, (died 1864); William (2 Ja.), born 1837, (died 1869); John (2 Ja.), born 1840, (died 1872); Charles, born 1843, (died 1863, and Nellie, born 1846, (died 1859).

James Hinshaw (2 Ja.) died in North Carolina, in the year 1858.

Nellie (Robertson) Hinshaw, his wife, died also in North Carolina, in the year 1860.

### CARREL HINSHAW (2 Ja.)

CARREL HINSHAW (2 Ja.), farmer, of Williamson County, Illinois, son of James (2 Ja.) and Nellie (Robertson) Hinshaw, married Elizabeth E. Marshall, in the year 1850. She was born in Alabama in the year 1824. Their children were all born in Williamson County, Illinois, (except two), as follows, viz: William R., born 1851; John A., born 1854, (died 1874); Sarah, born 1859, (died 1879); Nancy C. born 1862, (died 1879); James L. born in Posey County, Indiana, 1864; George A., born in Posey County, Indiana, Oct. 2, 1867; Thomas M. (?), born 1870, and Mary, born 1872, (died 1899).

Carrel Hinshaw (2 Ja.) died in the year 1882. Elizabeth E. (Marshall) Hinshaw, his wife, died in the year 1894.



## WILLIAM R. HINSHAW.

WILLIAM R. HINSHAW, farmer, of Harrisburg, Saline County, Illinois, son of Carrel (2 Ja.) and Elizabeth E. (Marshall) Hinshaw, married first, Susan Young, in the year 1872. She was born in Jackson County, Illinois, in the year 1851. Their daughter, Mary A., was born in Williamson County, Illinois, ——, 1875. William R. Hinshaw married secondly, Fannie Neely, in the year 1881. Their children were all born in Williamson County, Illinois as follows, viz: Clara, born 1883, (died 1907); Amy, born 1886; Joseph H., born 1890, and Sylvia, born 1893.

## HON. GEORGE A. HINSHAW.

HON. GEORGE A. HINSHAW, corporation commissioner of the state of Oklahoma, 1910 ——, son of Carrel (2 Ja.) and Elizabeth E. (Marshall) Hinshaw, married Nettie Anderson, Feb. 6, 1889. She was born in Pope County, Illinois, April 6, 1869. Their children were all born in Williamson County, Illinois (except one, the youngest), as follows, viz: Walter A. Hinshaw, born Jan. 6, 1893; George A. Hinshaw, Jr., born Oct. 25, 1896; Paul A. Hinshaw, born Jan. 1, 1900, and Ada Hinshaw, born (in Marshall County, Okla.), Aug. 25, 1902.

## JOHN HINSHAW (1 TR.)

JOHN HINSHAW (1 Tr.), son of —— and —— (—) Hinshaw, married ——. They were the parents of Trustrem Hinshaw, Benjamin Hinshaw (1 Tr.) and Ruth (Hinshaw) Hobson.

## TRUSTREM HINSHAW.

TRUSTREM HINSHAW, farmer, of Randolph County, North Carolina, son of John (1 Tr.) and —— (—) Hinshaw, married ——, ——. Their children were John Hinshaw (2 Tr.), born May 2, 1825; Thomas Hinshaw (1 Tr.), Newton Hinshaw, Stephen Hinshaw (1 Tr.), Jessee Hinshaw (1 Tr.), and Nathan Hinshaw (1 Tr.).



## JOHN HINSHAW (2 Tr.)

JOHN HINSHAW (2 Tr.), farmer, of Mortenville, Hamilton County, Indiana, son of Trustrem and —— (—) Hinshaw, married —— ——. He moved from Randolph County, North Carolina, to Hamilton County, Indiana, in the year 1851. He was the father of eight children, as follows, viz.: Isaac N. Hinshaw, of Wirkita, Iowa; Thomas M. Hinshaw, (dec.); Andrew T. Hinshaw, of Mortenville, Ind.; William E. Hinshaw, also of Mortenville, Ind.; D. C. Hinshaw, of Ridge Farm, Ill.; Martha J. Hinshaw, Morten, of Westfield, Ind.; Asenath Hinshaw, (dec.), of Plainfield, Ill.; and Lydia A. Hinshaw, (dec.), of Newburg, Ohio.

## BENJAMIN HINSHAW (1 Tr.)

BENJAMIN HINSHAW (1 Tr.), son of John (1 Tr.) and —— (—) Hinshaw, married —— ——, and settled near Oskaloosa, Iowa. Their children were John Hinshaw (2 Tr.), Joshua Hinshaw (1 Tr.), and William Hinshaw (1 Tr.).

## ABSOLEM HINSHAW (No. 2)

ABSOLEM HINSHAW (No. 2), son of —— and —— (—) Hinshaw, was born in North Carolina, 1812, died 1882. He married Eliza Carter. Their son, Elwood Hinshaw, resides near Winchester, Ind. Absolem Hinshaw (No. 2) died in the year 1877. He had three brothers, —— Abel, Jacob (1 Tr.) and Silas (1 Tr.).

## ELWOOD HINSHAW.

ELWOOD HINSHAW, farmer, of Winchester, Ind., 1817, died 1888, son of Absolem (No. 2) and Eliza (Carter) Hinshaw, married Hannah Robins, ——. Their daughter, S. E. Hinshaw, of Chicago, Illinois, born —— 1850, married —— Hinshaw, of Winchester, Indiana, born —— 1850.

## WILLIAM HINSHAW (1 M.).

WILLIAM HINSHAW (1 M.), son of —— and —— (—) Hinshaw, was born in Ireland, 17—, and came to Calif-



ford County, North Carolina, when a child. He married Rachel Mortain about the year 1810 (5). Their children were Jesse Hinshaw (1 M.); Adam Hinshaw, Sarah Hinshaw, Anna (Hinshaw) Cunningham, and Margaret Hinshaw.

William Hinshaw (1 M.) died in North Carolina (5). (The maiden name of the mother of Regard (Mortain) Hinshaw was —— Enis, and she was of Dutch descent.)

#### JESSE HINSHAW (1 M.).

Jesse Hinshaw (1 M.), son of William (1 M.) and Rachel (Mortain) Hinshaw, was born in Guilford County, North Carolina, 2, 14, 1801. He married Mary Alexander in 1825. She was born in Georgia, about the year 1800. Their children were born as follows, viz: Leonard Hinshaw, born in North Carolina, Oct. 19, 1827; William Hinshaw (2 M.), born in North Carolina, June 21, 1831; Milton Hinshaw, born in North Carolina, 1, 20, 1831; Elizabeth Hinshaw, born in North Carolina, 6, 15, 1831; Lydia Hinshaw and Loritta Hinshaw (twins) born in North Carolina, 6, 26, 1839; John Hinshaw (1 M.), born in Tennessee, 4, 27, 1841; Jesse Hinshaw (2 M.), born in Tennessee, 6, 20, 1844, and Rebecca Ann Hinshaw, born in Tennessee, ——, 1847.

Jesse Hinshaw (1 M.) died in Guilford County, North Carolina.

Mary (Alexander) Hinshaw, his wife, died in Sullivan County, Tennessee, ——.

#### LEONARD HINSHAW.

Leonard Hinshaw, son of Jesse (1 M.) and Mary (Alexander) Hinshaw, married Susan M. Hayes, ——. She was born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, ——. Their children who lived to maturity were: John Hayes, Sullivan County, Virginia (present); the Hayes, ——; John; Elizabeth Ann Hinshaw, born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, ——; born May 17, 1850, died 1855; William Hayes, ——; born Jan. 8, 1854; William M. Hinshaw, ——; born



James M. Hinshaw, born March 23, 1859, and ~~Delilah C.~~  
(Hinshaw) ———, born Oct. 21, 1861.

Leonard Hinshaw was a confederate soldier during the Civil War, and died at Camp Douglass, Chicago, Ill., 1865. Susan M. (Payne) Hinshaw, his wife, died at Chattanooga, Tenn., ———, 1899.

### JAMES M. HINSHAW.

JAMES M. HINSHAW, of Memphis, Tennessee, son of Leonard and Susan M. (Payne) Hinshaw, married Mary L. Summers, August ———, 1884. She was born in Knox County, Tennessee, ——— 185—— (?). Their children were Jessie L. Hinshaw, born in Knox County, Tennessee, May 3, 1887, and Winona (Hinshaw) Campbell, born also in Knox County, Tennessee, July 11, 1885.

Mary L. (Summers) Hinshaw died at Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. ———, 1887.

Winona (Hinshaw) Campbell, daughter of James M. and Mary L. (Summers) Hinshaw, married George E. Campbell, Dec. 26, 1907. Their son George S. Campbell, was born at Chattanooga, Tenn., March 29, 1911.

### ANNA (HINSHAW) CUNNINGHAM.

ANNA (HINSHAW) CUNNINGHAM, daughter of William (1 M.) and Rachel (Mortain) Hinshaw, married Alexander Cunningham, and moved from North Carolina to Indiana.

### MILTON HINSHAW, (1 M.).

MILTON HINSHAW (1 M.), son of Jesse, (1 M.) and Mary (Alexander) Hinshaw, moved to Elm Springs, Arkansas, was married there, raised two sons, and died there in the year 1894.





The following families spell the name Henshaw

#### THOMAS HENSHAW, (1 F.A.)

THOMAS HENSHAW (1 F.) farmer, son of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_), Henshaw, was born in Madison County, Virginia, about the year 1770. He married Eliza Field about the year 1818 (?). Their children were Elizabeth Henshaw, born Aug. 18, 1819; Henry R. Henshaw, born 182—, died Sept. 25, 1834; Joseph P. Henshaw, born 182—, died Nov. 25, 1830; James Henshaw, born 182—, died April 1, 1830; and John F. Henshaw, born about the year 182—, died 1832.

#### JOHN F. HENSHAW.

JOHN F. HENSHAW, farmer, son of Thomas (1 F.) and Eliza (Field) Henshaw, was born in Madison County, Virginia, about the year 1824. He married Sarah M. Johnson about the year 1845. She was born in North Carolina about the year 1825. Their children were all born in Johnson County, Missouri, as follows: Paschal Henshaw, born May 25, 1846; Levi Henshaw, born Feb. 9, 1848; Nancy Henshaw, born Nov. —, 1850; Albert Henshaw, born Sept. 14, 1852;



(died 1890), and Elizabeth Henshaw, born ——, 1856, (died 1890).

John F. Henshaw died in Johnson County, Missouri, in the year 1893.

Susan M. (Adams) Henshaw, his wife, died also in Johnson County, Missouri, in the year 1890.

### PASCHALL HENSHAW.

PASCHALL HENSHAW, farmer, of Rinehart, Vernon County, Missouri, son of John F. and Susan M. (Adams) Henshaw, married Mary A. Grinstead, Feb. 3, 1876. She was born in Johnson County, Missouri, July 21, 1856. Their children were all born in Vernon County, Missouri, as follows: Stella Henshaw, born Dec. ——, 1876, (died Feb. —— 1911), and Ira Albert Henshaw, born Oct. 7, 1879.

### WILLIAM HENSHAW, OF POXTETH PARK,

And Some of His Descendants.

(From Information Furnished by Charles W. Henshaw.) [See Coat of Arms.]

WILLIAM HENSHAW, of Poxteth Park, near Liverpool, England, married Catherine, only daughter of Evan Houghton, of Wavertree Hall, and Ellen (Parker) Houghton, his wife, of Bridge Hall, County of Lancashire, England, about the year 1640. The children of William and Catherine (Houghton) Henshaw were Joshua Henshaw (1) born 1642, and Daniel Henshaw (1) born 1644.

William Henshaw, of Poxteth Park, and his father-in-law, Evan Houghton, were both killed in battle at the Storming of Liverpool, by Prince Rupert, June 20, 1644. They were fighting against King Charles I. Catherine (Houghton) Henshaw died at Liverpool, England, in the year 1651.

In 1656, the executor of the estate of William Henshaw pretended to send his two sons to London to attend school and afterwards reported that they had been sick of the plague. In reality he sent them to New England and placed them in the family of the Rev. Richard Mather, of Dor-



chester, Mass. (near Boston), who educated them and money sent him for that purpose.

JOSHUA HENSHAW, (2), the eldest son of William (1) and Catherine (Houghton) Henshaw, married Elizabeth Sumner, a relative of Governor Sumner, of Massachusetts. Their children were born as follows: William (2), born 1670; Joshua, Jr., born 1672; John (1), born 1680; ~~Elizabeth~~ born 1687, and Katherine, born 1689.

JOHN HENSHAW (1), son of Joshua (2), and Elizabeth (Sumner) Henshaw, married early in life and removed from Massachusetts to Philadelphia, Pa., where he lived a number of years and not prospering as he wished, he and his eldest son, Nicholas Henshaw (1), decided to move with their families to the great fertile valley lying between the Blue Ridge and the Great North Mountain, Virginia, the "Garden of America."

In the year 1766 John Henshaw bought land from Lord Fairfax and also from the settlers, and located on "The Creek" about thirteen miles north of Winchester, Va.

He and his son, Nicholas, built a grist mill, a saw mill, and a fulling mill, afterwards a still house.

NICHOLAS HENSHAW (1), son of John Henshaw (1), born in the year 1715, and Rebecca ——, his wife, was the parent of three children born as follows: John Henshaw (2), born 1735; William Henshaw (2), born 1735, and John Henshaw, born 1737.

WILLIAM HENSHAW (3), son of Nicholas and Rebecca —— Henshaw, married Agnes, daughter of William Lyle. Their children were as follows: Levi Henshaw, born 1760; Hiram Henshaw, born 1771 (married Mary McDaniel); Adam S. Henshaw, born 177—; Jonathan Henshaw, born 17—, (married Elizabeth Stafford, and located in the town of Crowsley, Ohio); William S. Henshaw, born 17—, (married Harriet Lyle); Uriah Henshaw, born 17—, (married Bet McDonald); Nicholas Henshaw, born 17—, (married Mary Morrison, born 17—); John Henshaw, born 17—, (married Joseph Lorraine, and married again in 1787 to Elizabeth ——); and married again in 1790 to ——.



'tucky), and Ruthamah Henshaw, born 17—; (married —— Duncan and moved to Kentucky).

William Henshaw (3) was a captain in the regular continental army during the Revolution. He never collected any compensation for his service.

**HIRAM HENSHAW**, son of Nicholas (1) and Rebecca (—) Henshaw, married Mary McConnell. They were the parents of five children, as follows: Evalina, (who married George McKown); Mary C. (who married William Morgan); James W. (who married Nancy Miller); Martin L. (who married Zephina Silver), and Samuel P. (who married Julia Hunsicker).

**SAMUEL P. HENSHAW**, son of Hiram and Mary (McConnell) Henshaw, was born March 12, 1812. He married Julia Hunsicker. Their children were as follows: Marion L., born June 25, 1845, (married Emily Plyne, 1863, and moved to Wichita, Kan., 1887); Elwin S., born Nov. 12, 1849, (married Mary Campbell, Nov. 22, 1882, and resides in Berkeley County, West Virginia); and Charles W., born March 25, 1852, (married Flora B. Glaize, Jan. 9, 1881, and resides in Jefferson County, West Virginia.)

Samuel P. Henshaw died Sept. 8, 1884.

**CHARLES W. HENSHAW**, farmer, of Sprout Point, W. Va., son of Samuel P. and Julia (Hunsicker) Henshaw, married Flora B. Glaize, Jan. 9, 1881. Their children are Samuel S., Edith M., Charles C., Annie S., Eliza R., and Mary J. H.

#### THE HENSHAW COAT-OF-ARMS.

The Henshaw coat-of-arms are decried as follows: "Argent, a chevron between three Moor-hens, proper, on a chief Houghton saddle, three bar argent crest, a falcon proper beaked and membered sable, preying upon a fish argent."

"We feel proud that we belong to such a noble ancestry. Our people are very numerous and have spread all over the United States.

As far as we know, they have filled all of the best and most honorable occupations in life. Some of them are judges, con-



isters, lawyers, doctors, professors, historians, poets, journalists, merchants, farmers and tradesmen, and all have stood well in their chosen occupations."

CHARLES W. HENSHAW.

### CAPT. WILLIAM S. HENSHAW.

And His Descendants.

(1) CAPT. WILLIAM S. HENSHAW, farmer, of Berkeley County, West Virginia, son of William (3) and Anne (Anderson) Henshaw, married Harriet Lyle. Their children, all born in Berkeley County, West Virginia, were as follows, viz.: Hugh L. Henshaw, Robert W. Henshaw, Anderson Henshaw, Isabella Henshaw, Mary Henshaw, and —— Henshaw, a daughter.

Capt. William S. Henshaw was a captain in the 5th Infantry, United States Army, from 1798 to 1815, serving actively through the War of 1812.

(2) HUGH L. HENSHAW, farmer, son of Capt. William and Harriet (Lyle) Henshaw, moved from Berkeley County, West Virginia, to St. Louis County, Missouri, in the year 1845. He married Fannie Patterson in St. Louis County, Missouri, in the year 1846. Their children are John, Thomas Henshaw, County Judge of Greene County, Illinois, born 1858, and Jennie Henshaw, also of Greene County, Illinois, born 1852. Hugh L. Henshaw was accidentally killed by a horse in the year 1861.

(3) THOMAS HENSHAW, of Carrollton, Ill., son of Hugh L. and Fannie (Patterson) Henshaw, was born in St. Louis County, Missouri, April 19, 1848. He removed to Greene County, Illinois, in the year 1867, and married Alice Peeler, Oct. 14, 1880. Their children are Hugh (L.) Henshaw born in Greene County, Illinois, July 21, 1881, and Fannie V. (Henshaw) Peeler, born also in Greene County, Illinois, Sept. 11, 1884. Hon. Thomas Henshaw was Greene County Judge of Greene County, Illinois, for 1891 and reelected in 1910.

(4) CLARA (Lyon) HENSHAW, son of Hugh F. and Fannie



(Boren) Henshaw, married Pearl Hetrick, May 14, 1910.  
(5) Lesah V. (HINSHAW) Pore, married George Pore, Feb. 1909.

### CONCLUSION.

The Committee on History of the Hinshaw family wish to avail themselves of this opportunity of earnestly thanking each and every one who has furnished material or money for the publication of this book, or who have contributed in any other way to the success of the undertaking. In particular, we desire to thank Mr. G. W. Hinshaw, of Winston, North Carolina, for material furnished, Mr. William Wade Hinshaw, Sr., of New York City, for valuable information and other assistance, and last, but by no means least, we desire to express our sincere appreciation of the successful labors of our fellow-member, Mr. William Hinshaw, of Bloomington, Ill., for having borne the principal share of the burden of correspondence and collection of material necessary for its compilation. We also wish to acknowledge the valuable advice and assistance of the late Rev. Joshua K. Storer, W. A. Hall, and our editor, Mr. Milo Custer. As no family history or genealogy can ever be made absolutely complete or ~~it~~ <sup>it</sup> entirely free from errors, we venture to express the hope that our friends will understand and appreciate the difficulties under which we have labored. We also hope and trust that future ~~generations~~ <sup>generations</sup> of our people will take up this work where we have left it, and continue and enlarge upon it for the benefit and instruction of ~~it~~ <sup>it</sup> ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> their posterity.

And with this closing work we bequeath and leave the work as a memorial of our ancestors to their descendants.

THE COMMITTEE.

POSTSCRIPT:—The Hinshaw and Henshaw families invite an annual reunion at Bloomington, Illinois, and therefore do hereby extend a cordial invitation to every Hinshaw and Henshaw, both by birth and marriage, to attend these reunions.

THE COMMITTEE.





















